



Row 1—Herbie Miller, Don Robinson, Jack Henson, Mike Owen, Fred Boss, Phillip Bradley, Charley Yadon, Kenneth Parker (director), Sondra Mills (Queen), Gene Raines (Drum Major), Carl Gibson, Henry Cooper, Jack Garrison, Richard Bishop, Carl Wilbourn, Jerry Lyle, Wally Bolton.

Row 2—Jerry Nida, Spencer Radnich, John McCoy, Eldon Smith, Harold Shiew, James Tudor, Mack Whittaker, Jim Cunningham, Merrill Johnson, Bill Alsabrook, Jimmy Ritchie, Bob Daily, Kenneth Myer, George Love, Jerry Ledbetter, John Hackler.

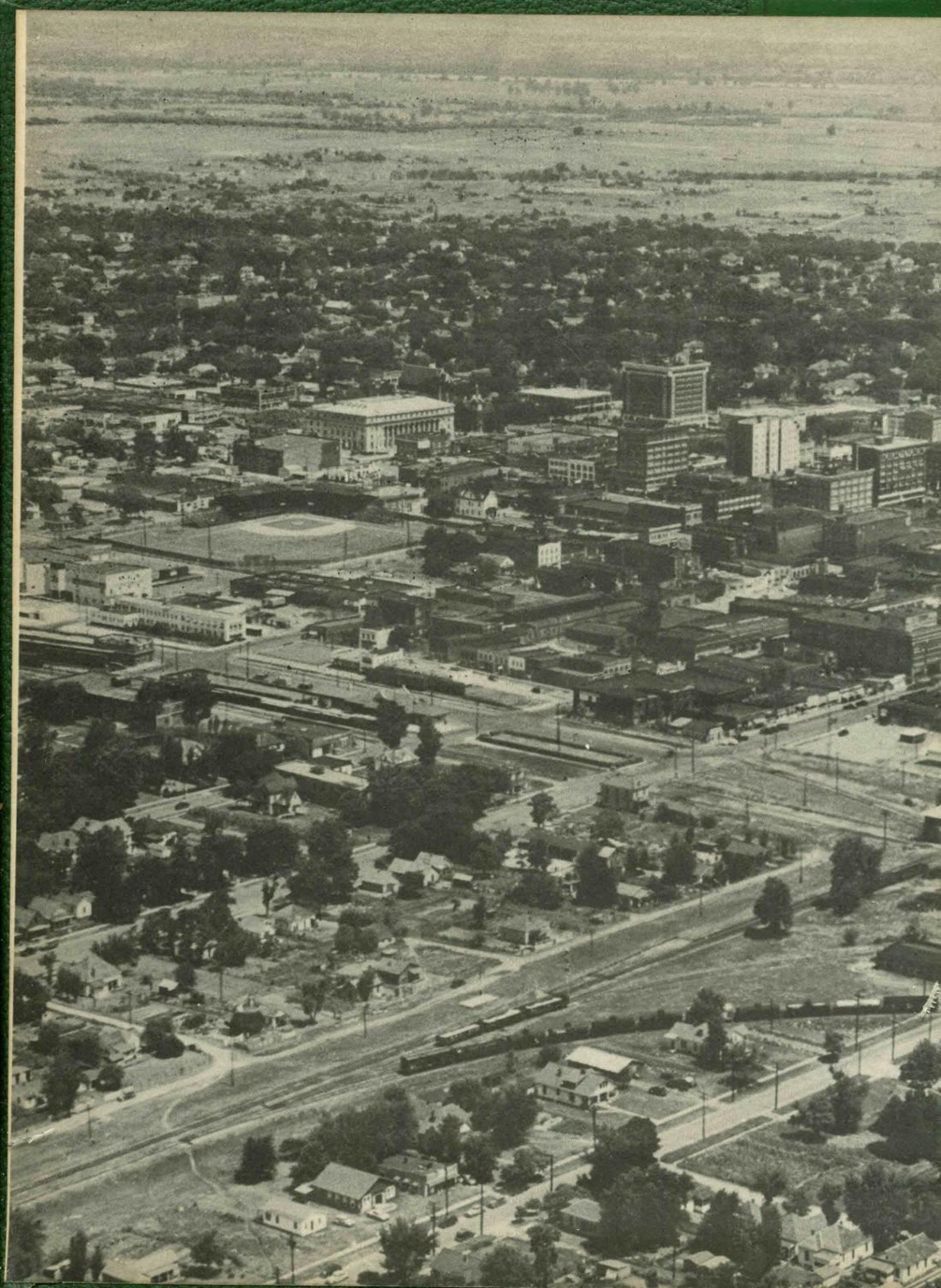
Football shows are worked out on the band's miniature football field before beginning work on them.



The fame of this green and white organization has been spread far and wide, in part by its marching organization and in part by its concert band. In the Central High All-Boys Marching Band of 1952-1953, there was a membership of sixty. In the Central High Concert Band, the membership included three girls. The director of this organization is Mr. Kenneth Parker.

At the beginning of this school-year, two very important events for the band took place. Charley Yadon was elected as president of the band, Merrill Johnson as vice-president, Bob Cheek as secretary-treasurer, Joe Wertz and Gene Raines as quartermasters, and Jerry Nida and Mike Owen as equipment-managers. Soon after the election of band officers, the boys chose Sondra Mills as the band queen for 1952-53. The coronation that followed her election was one of the most effective and beautiful ever seen at Central. Sondra was attended by Gaynelle Willis, maid-of-honor, and Donah Boswell, Barbara Laughery, and Jeanne Williams, attendants.

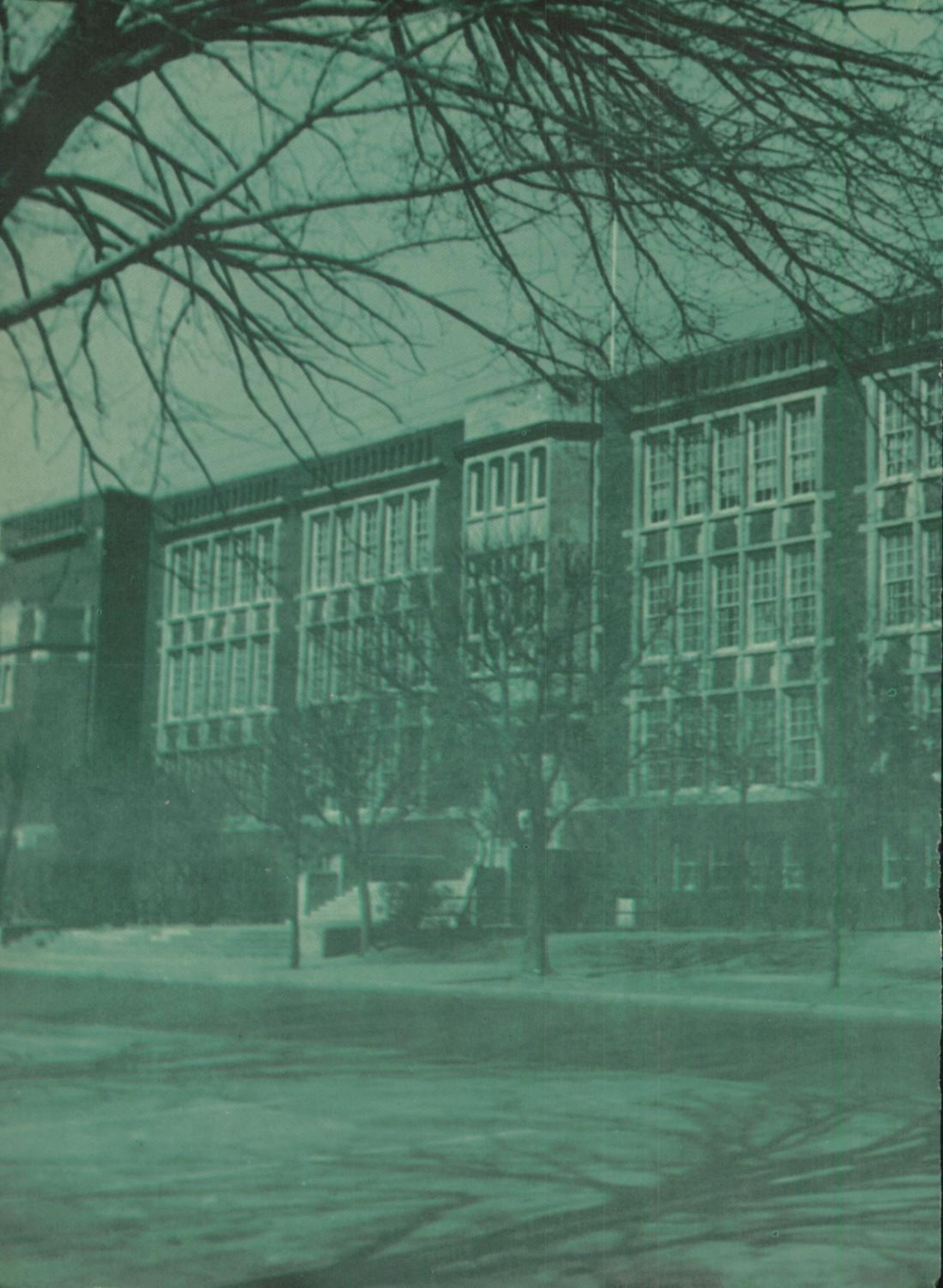
In support of their football team, these boys worked





The Annual Staff Presents







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1953

Central High School
Muskogee, Oklahoma

Foreword

Muskogee, the Indian Capital of the world, has grown from a small trading post and Indian agency into the third largest town in Oklahoma. The story of this town, the Indian Capital of the world, makes up some of the most colorful pages in American History.

With the town have grown up churches, schools, and industries. To us, the students of Central High School, our town now offers a challenge to build a finer Muskogee in the future. In our studies, both academic and vocational, and through our activities here in Central, we are preparing to accept this challenge.

Dedication

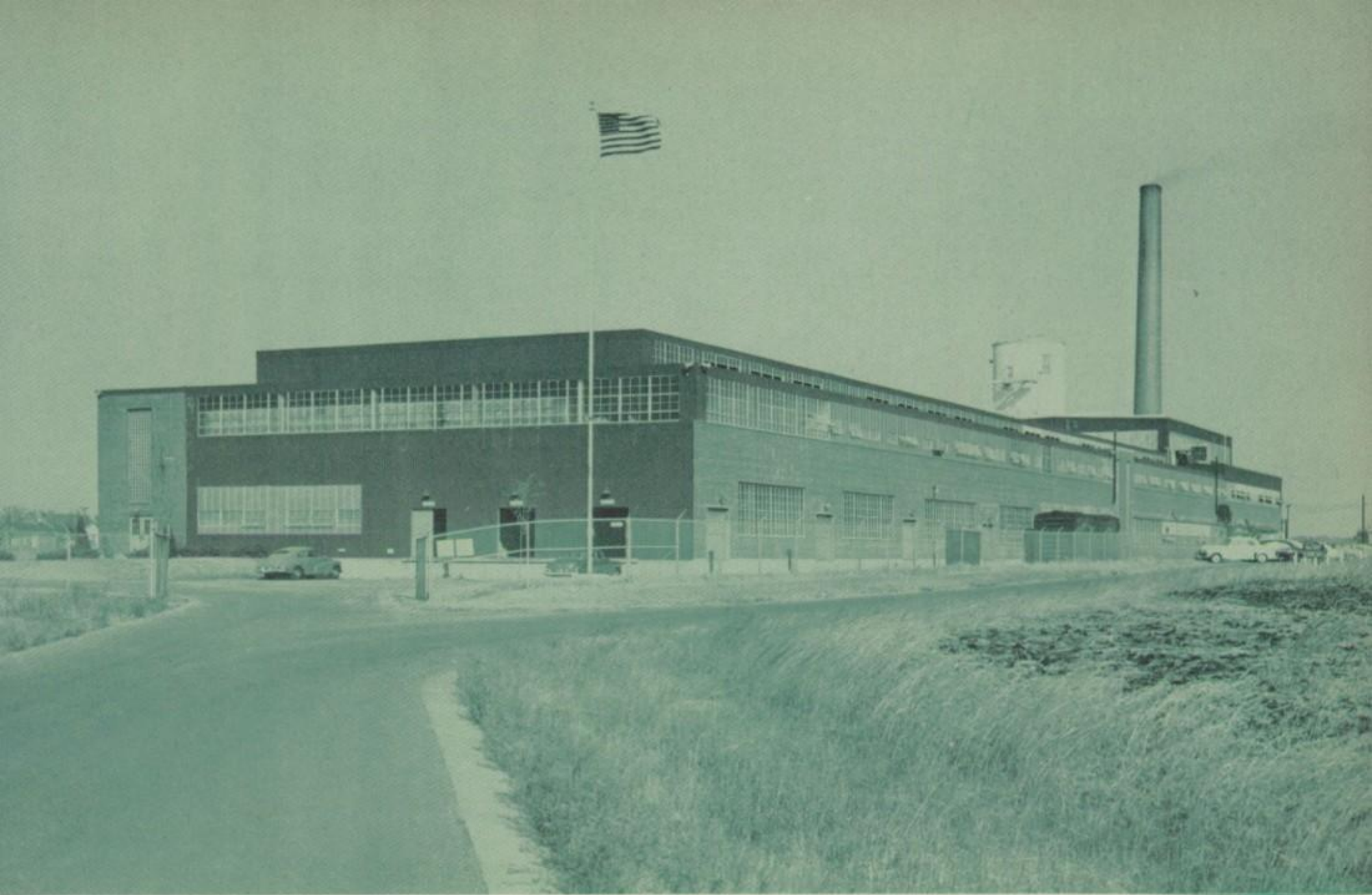
To parents and teachers of Central High School—in appreciation of never ending loyalty and constant inspiration; for their help and support in making our school years a success; we, the staff of the annual, dedicate this 1953 Chieftain.



Our History

Our Parks





Our Homes

Our Industries





Our Churches



Administration



The School Board



Palmer Proctor

Roy W. Cawthon

Ralph Bates

Russell Alexander

Raymond Holcomb



E. D. Cave



Today, young people who have had the splendid training and the rich experiences that have come to them through the years spent in the public elementary and secondary schools of America are most fortunate. The heritage that has been yours to receive through our democratic education program and in our democratic way of living is the most important thing that will ever enter your life.

I share the pride that you possess because of your success in completing your high school education and wish for you every possible good thing and every success that can possibly come your way.

Harry D. Simmons, Superintendent

B. L. Wertz, Principal

An old English proverb tells us, "Man is the architect of his own fortune." How fortunate for us that the shaping of our future can be entrusted to our own hands. Fortunate that is, if we go about this building job in the right way. An architect works always with a definite purpose in mind, directing each daily task toward fulfillment of that purpose. No matter how far distant the end may seem, or how many difficulties intervene, the architect never loses his vision of the completed structure.

One of the blessings you can be most grateful for, as you begin your life journey, is the privilege of shaping your own destiny, and the opportunity to build a beautiful structure in which to spend the rest of your lives. If you are a good architect, there will not only be the happiness of a well-built future, but also the joy and pride in the day-by-day building of it.

As you go further into new fields of endeavor, it is our hope that you will continue the development of your resources, to the end that each one of you graduates will be a blessing to yourself, your friends and mankind.

With best wishes for your continued happiness in useful work.





Lesterree Hutcheson
Registrar



M. E. McEndarfer
Counselor for Boys



Juanita Elam
Secretary



Jack Hopkins
Basketball Coach



Berthe Stebler
Spanish, English



G. C. Williams
Physics, Math



Good luck in you



Della Sherman
Mathematics



Manuel Ramirez
Spanish



Zella Morton
English



Charles Grant
Geometry



Robert Harvey
English



Parthenia Gregory
History



W. V. Martin
Bookkeeping-Auditor



Mary C. Siffing
Secretary

Faculty



ew home, Mrs. Laurenzi.



Kenneth Parker
Band, Choral Club



Bonna Miller
Latin



Paul Young
Head Coach



Carolyn Tissington
English



George Landers
History



Mary Whitely
Steno, Typing



Willie Miller
Art



Bill Roberts



Buena Vista White
English



Lowell Oden
Biology



J. W. Patterson
English, Speech



Thelma Peters
Glee Club



Sherman Lees
Printing



Kate Frank
Sociology, Typing



Elizabeth Bonnell

English, Journalism



A. J. Geymann

Printing



Jeanne Hogan

Homemaking



C. L. Whittington

Assistant Coach



Dale Reins

Biology



Mary Clyde Walker

English



Gilmer H. Nelson

Typing, Bookkeeping



Marian Allen

English



Violet Gilbertson

Steno, Typing



Gene Beach

Vocational Agriculture



Alma Doughty

Librarian

Mr. Gray, Mr. M. A. Roberts
practice balancing their plates



Carl D. Emerson

Auto Mechanics



Mae Nickens

Commercial Stitchery



Phil Porter

Diversified Occupations



Carlton Gray

English



Dorothy Boen

Homemaking



E. B. Schirmer

Machine Shop



Bobbye Laurenzi

Physical Education



C. E. Paul

Vocational Education



Edna Hill

Cafeteria Manager



J. T. Huckstep

Mechanical Drawing



Lillian Gassaway

Distributive Education

Mr. Ramirez, and Mr. Nelson
correctly.



J. E. Dunn

Chemistry



James D. Hembree

Driving



M. A. Roberts

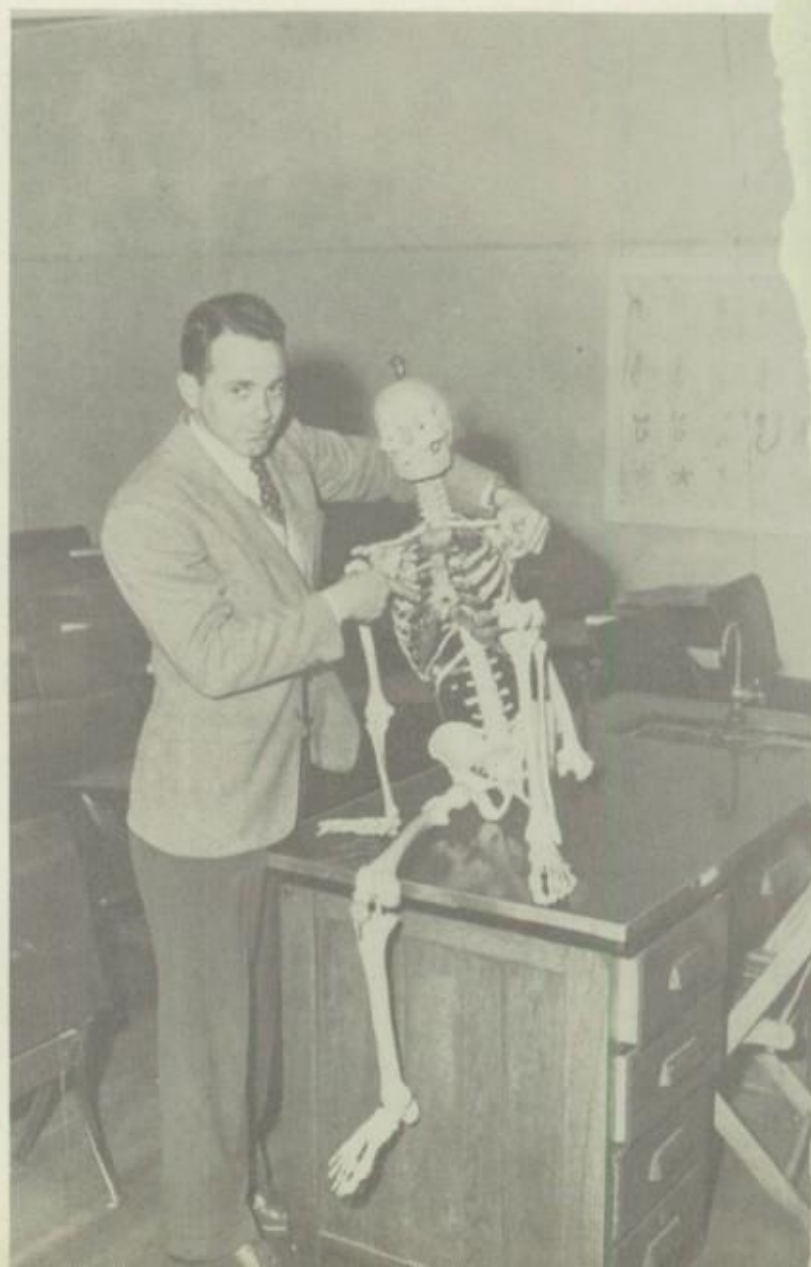
Woodwork



Mr. Harvey rearranges his room.



1. Are you lonesome, Mr. Reins?
2. "A Cocktail jacket for me?", asks Mr Parker.
3. Mr. Hembree, PTA treasurer; Mrs. Branson, PTA president; and Mrs. Fullbright PTA secretary, plan the program for the year.
4. It's grade card time for Mr. Grant.
5. Mr. Oden has a "skeleton in the closet."



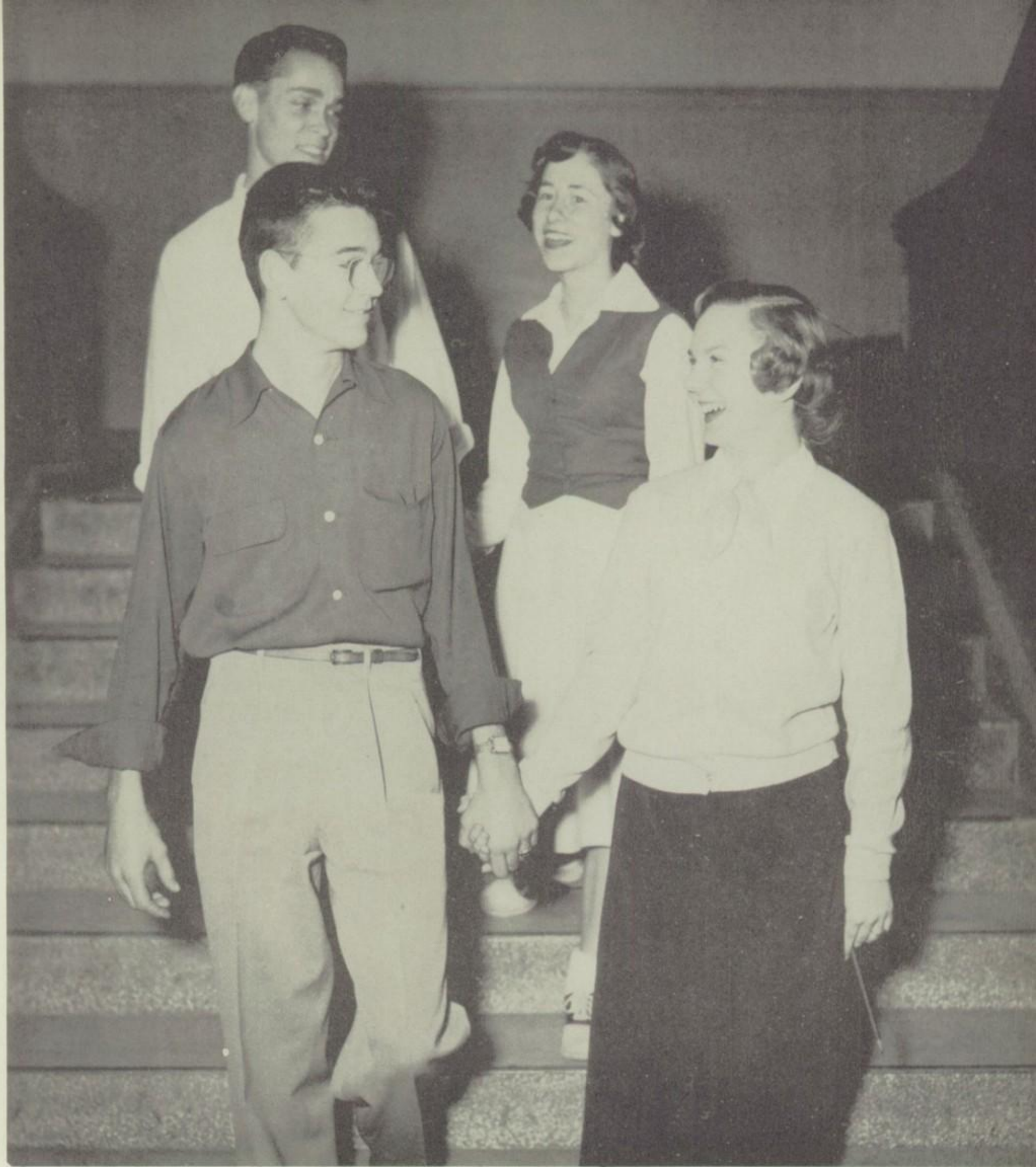


CLASSES



1. Centralites express their political beliefs.
2. The PTA and their good 5 cent Hot Dogs.
3. Bankston-Spillers present Dizzy Dean and Doak Walker.
4. Preparations for YCCY.
5. Dizzy gives autographs.





SENIORS



Senior class officers, Bill Moorner, Sue Nell Ramsey, Mary Lester, and Charles Dunlap.

As the senior class of 1953 leaves Central High for the last time, they may have cause to look back at their record and be proud that they belong to that particular class.

After coming through their first two years in Central in a blaze of glory, they approached the third year, determined to be the best senior class in the history of Central High School.

After electing Charles Dunlap as their president, Mary Lester as vice-president, Sue Nell Ramsey as secretary and Bill Moorner as treasurer, they began to build their record. Seniors were very well represented on all honor rolls and in all school activities. On the football team, Gerry Dixon was captain. The basket-

ball team owed many victories to the seniors there. Bringing fame to the seniors in other fields, were the members of the band, of debate, of Future Farmers and of Future Teachers. Ann Roberts was chosen to receive the Daughters of the American Revolution Citizenship Award.

The Senior Play "Annie Get your Gun" under the direction of Miss Buena Vista White, proved to be one of the best ever presented. It starred Marlene Venus and Joyce Culver as Annie.

Ending their year in a final flurry of activities, the class had their picnic and staged the senior banquet, followed by the senior prom, given for them by the juniors. On Commencement Day there were many sad thoughts upon leaving Central for the last time.



Row 1—ARNOLD, BETTY, F.H.A. 51-52, T&I Club 53, T&I Sec. 53; ASHWORTH, JIM, Choral Club 51-53; AYERS, PATSY, Soph. play 50, All-school play 52-53, Christmas play 52-53, Jr. play 52, Debate 53, National Forensic League 51,53, Thespian Society 53, Speech Club 51-53, Best Supporting Actress 52, Attendant to Jr. Sweetheart 52, Archbearer 52, Jr. Red Cross 51,53, Pep Squad 52, Radio Speech 51,53, M-Service 51,53; BACON, ANN, Pep Squad 51-52, F.H.A. 52-53, Senior play 53; BAINBRIDGE, MARIETTA, Glee Club 51, Library Club 52, F.T.A. 53, Maid of Honor to F.F.A. Sweetheart 53, M-Service 52, Pep Squad 51; Row 2—BALES, MANUELLA, F.T.A. 53, F.H.A. 53, Red Cross Alt. 53, Archbearer 52; BARNES, CLAUDIA MAE; BARTLETT, BILLYE ANN; BASS, BOB, Tennis 51-52, Soph. play 51, Soph. Class Treas. 51, Band 51-53, Key Club 52-53, M-Service 51-53, Pres. of homeroom 51; BEARDSLEY, ESTELLA, Pep Squad 51, Homeroom Sec. 52, M-Service 52-53, Allied Youth 52-53, YCCY 52-53, Gremlins 53; Row 3—BENTLEY, BILL; BENSON, MARJORIE ELIZABETH, Pep Squad 51-52, Soph. play 51, Archbearer 52, Gunaike 53, Senior play 53, Jr. play 52, F.H.A. 52-53, Choral Club 53, International Relations 52; BETH, CHARLENE, F.T.A. 51,53, Student Council 52-53, Pep Squad 51, Jr. Red Cross Rep. 52; BINFORD, JANE, Pep Squad 51-52, Glee Club 51, Choral Club 52-53, International Relations 52, Make-Up Club 53, F.H.A. 52-53, M-Service 52-53, Archbearer 52, Maid of Honor to Demolay Sweetheart 53, Senior play 53; BLACK, OWEN, Library Club 51, Scout 52-53, Okla. State Honor Society 52.



The Cream-of-the-Crop

Row 1—BLAIR, FLORA ADELINE, T&I Club 51, F.T.A. 52-53, Homeroom Curtis Captain 53; BLAYLOCK, GEORGE WILLIAM; BLEVINS, JERRY DOUGLAS, "B" Football 51, "B" Basketball 51, Track 51, "A" Football 52-53, Letterman 53, Baseball 52, T&I Club 52-53; BOECKMAN, JOHN E., Key Club 52-53, Radiq Speech 51; BONICELLI, JOHN; Row 2—BONTRAGER, DON, Boys' Home Arts 53; BOSWELL, DONAH RAE, Pep Squad 51, Candidate for Miss Soph. 51, Alt. Student Council Rep. 51,53, Attendant to Jr. Sweetheart 52, Archbearer 52, F.H.A. 53, Gunaike 53, Attendant to Band Queen 53, Attendant to F.F.A. Sweetheart 53; BOUDINOT, MARY CAROLINE, Pep Squad 51, Gremlins 51, Glee Club 51, Homeroom Reporter 52, T&I Club 52-53; BOWMAN CHARLES

LEE, Football 51-53; BOYER, JANE ELIZABETH, Pep Squad 51; Row 3—BOYD, TED; BRANSON, SHARON SUZANNE, Band 51-53, Choral Club 52-53, Archbearer 52, M-Service 51-53, Chieftain Editor 53, Pep Squad 51, Candidate for Miss Soph. 51, Okla. State Honor Society 52; BRAZIL, DOLORES, T&I Club 51-52, F.H.A. 51-52, F.T.A. 52, Delphic 51-53, Red Cross Rep. 51, D.E. Club 53; BRAZIL, SHIRLEY ANN, Glee Club 51-52, M-Service 52-53, Homeroom Vice-president 53; BRESHEARS, BILLY JOE, Football 51, YCCY 52, International Relations 53.

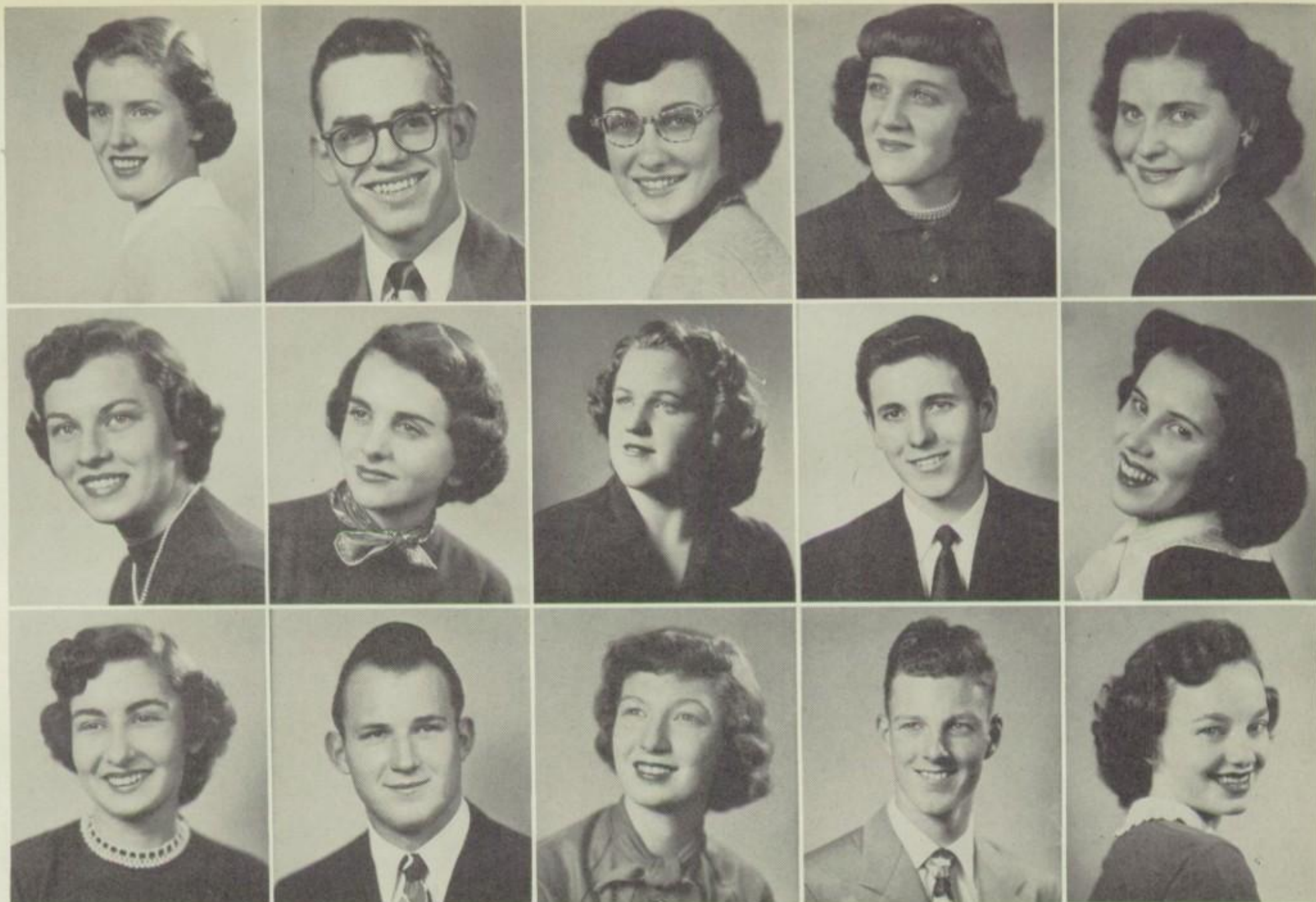




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Row 1—CHEEK, ROBERT DAVIS, Band 51-53, Band Sec. 53, Ensemble 51-53, M-Service 51-52, Student Council 53; CLANCY, CHARLES T., T&I Club 51-52, D.O. 53; CLARK, HASKELL EUGENE, Greenie Football 51-52, Track 51-52, Scout Staff 52, M-Service 51; CLARKE, PATRICIA, Radio Speech 51, Pep Squad 51-52, All-School play 52, Archbearer 52, Speech Club 52-53, Treas. of Speech Club 53, International Relations Club 52-53, Treas. of International Relations 53, M-Service 52, Okla. State Honor Society 53, Curtis Quota Winner 53; CLEMENT, EVERETT; Row 2—CLICK, KENNETH, T&I Club 52-53, Pres. of Homeroom 51, Football 51, Sec of D.O.; CLINE, HERMAN, T&I Club 51-53; CLOND, KENNETH JR., Band 51-53, Ensemble 51, 53, Dixieland Band 53, Superior in State Contest 52; CLUCK, MARY DELL, Glee Club 51, F.H.A. 51-53, Vice-Pres. of F.H.A. 53; COLLINS, JUNE, F.H.A. 51-53, F.H.A. Officer 52-53, District Vice-Pres. of F.H.A. 53, Homeroom Officer 51, Glee Club 51, Pep Squad 51, Red Cross Rep. 51; Row 3—COOPER, CONNIE, Glee Club 51, Pep Squad 51-52, Gunaike 51-53, Choral Club 52-53, M-Service 52-53, Quota Winner 52-53, YCCY 52-53, Homeroom Sec. & Treas. 53, Attendant to Jr. Sweetheart 52, Crack Squad 53, F.H.A. 53, Archbearer 52; COX, CLARICE, Glee Club 51, Choral Club 52-53; CRAIG, BARBARA JOAN, Entre Nous 51-53, Crack Squad 52-53, Cheerleader 53, Choral Club 52-53, F.T.A. 51, Junior play 51, Soph. play 51, Pep Squad 51, F.H.A. 52-53, M-Service 52-53, Attendant to F.F.A. Sweetheart 53, Senior play 53; CRANK, JOE, Homeroom Pres. 51, Student Council Rep. 52, F.T.A. 53, F.F.A. 52-53, Greenie Football 51, Basketball 51-53, Letterman 52-53, Golf 51-53; CRATER, JOHNNY.





Row 1—CROSSLAND, BARBARA, Glee Club 51, Pep Squad 52, Radio Speech 52, Quota Winner 52, Social Chairman 52, F.T.A. 53, Red Cross Rep. 53; CROW, JIM, Swimming Team 51-53, Student Council 53; CULVER, JOYCE, Student Council 51, Vice-President of Soph. Class 51, Gunaike 51-53, Pep Squad 51, Soph. Drama 51, Sergeant of Crack Squad 52, Cheerleader 53, Senior Drama 53, Maid of Honor to Football Queen 53; DAVENPORT, WANDA, SUE, F.H.A. 51-52, Pep Squad 52, Gremlins 52, D. E. Club 53; DAVIS, PATSY, F.H.A. 51, T&I Club 52-53, YCCY 52, Glee Club 51; Row 2—DAY, SALLY, Crack Squad 52-53, Pep Squad 51, Entre Nous 51-53, Senior Play 53; DENNEHY, KATY, Football Queen 53; DENNIS, DELPHIA GRACE, F. H. A. 51-53; DEREBERRY, BILL RAY, F.T.A. 53, Tennis 51-53, Basketball 51-53; DERRICK, PATRICIA ALLENE, Glee Club 51, Pep Squad 51-52, M-Service 51-52, Radio Speech 52, F.T.A. 53; Row 3—DISMUKE, MARY CATHERINE, Pep Squad 51, Pres. of homeroom 51, Vice-President of homeroom 52, Treas. of homeroom 53, F.H.A. 51-53, D.E. Club 53, M-Service 52-53; DIXON, GERRY GENE, Football 51-53, Basketball 51-53, Track 51, Key Club 51, President of Soph. Class 51, President of homeroom 53, M-Service 51; DIXON, PEGGY JUNE, Pep Squad 51, Archbearer 52, F.T.A. 53, F.H.A. 53, M-Service 53; DIXON, WILLIAM D., T&I Club 52-53, Homeroom President 52, Golf 51; DODSON, PEGGY LOU, F.H.A. 51, Pep Squad 51, T&I Club president 53, Vocational Stitchery 53, Curtis Capt. 53.

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Row 1—DOSS, JERRY ANN, Cheerleader 53, Crack Squad 52-53, Crack Squad Standard Bearer 52, Homeroom Pres. 51, Gunaike 52-53, F.H.A. 51-52, Pep Squad 51, Jr. Play 52, Senior Play 53; DOTSON, NORMA RAE, F.H.A. 52; DRY, PEGGY, F.H.A. 51, T&I Parliamentarian 53, Homeroom Pres. 53, F.H.A. 52, T&I Club 52, Archbearer 52; DUNCAN, SHERRY JEAN, Jr. Red Cross Rep. 51, Gunaike 51-53, F.T.A. 53, Crack Squad 52-53, Pep Squad 51, Head Cheerleader 53, F.T.A. 51, International Relations Club 52; DUNLAP CHARLES L., Homeroom Pres. 51-52, Key Club 51, M-Service 51-52, Student Council 53, Treas. of Red Cross 53, Advisory Council 53, Senior Class President 53; Row 2—DYE, MINNIE ELLEN, F.H.A. 51-53, Delphic 52-53, Pep Squad 52, Stagecraft 53, Archbearer 52, Sec. of Homeroom 53, Glee Club 51, M-Service 52; DYER, PATRICIA LOUISE, Pep Squad 51, Archbearer 52, Attendant to Jr. Sweetheart 52, YCCY 52-53, International Relations 53, Attendant to Football Queen 53, Senior Play 53; EBERSOLE, ANNA ELIZABETH, Pep Squad 51, Entre Nous 51-52, Make-up Club 52-53, Make-up Club Vice-Pres. 53, F.H.A. Pres 53, F.H.A. 51-53, Homeroom Treas. 52, Attendant to Jr. Sweetheart 52, Archbearer 52, Glee Club 51-52, Sec. of Glee Club 52, M-Service 52-53, Curtis Quota Winner 51-53, Senior play 53; EDGMON, GRACE M., Student Council 52, Treas. of D.E. Class 52-53, D.E. Club 52-53; EHRLICH, CHARLENE; Row 3—ELLIS, MARION; ELLIS MARY JANE, Student Council 51, Pep Squad 51, Curtis Captain 52, Archbearer 52, M-Service 51-52, Okla. State Honor Society 52, Red Cross Rep. 53, Secretary of homeroom 53; EPPERSON, CORENE AVIS; EPPS, LEE; EVERSOLE, MAX WAYNE, Football 51-52, Track 51-52, T&I Club 53, Library Club 53, M-Service 53, Vice-Pres. of homeroom 52, Vice-Pres. of D.O. Club 53, Red Cross Rep. 51.





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The Pause that Refreshes





I like this cover better!

Row 1—GOULD, BETTY, Pep Squad 51, F.H.A. 51, Library Club 52-53, Library Club Vice-Pres. 53, Archbearer 52, Student Council 53, Red Cross Alt. 52, M-Service 52-53; GRANT, MAMIE BEATRICE; GRAVES, ROBERT LOUIS, Band 51-53, Key Club 53, M-Service 52, Choral Club 53; GREEN, ALENE, Choral Club 51-53, F.T.A. 51; GREUEL, PAUL JOSEPH, Library Club 51, Homeroom Vice-Pres. 52, F.F.A. 51-53, F.F.A. Treas. 53, T&I Club 52-53, Okla. State Honor Society 52, M-Service 51-53; Row 2—GUTHRIE, CAROLYN LOU, Vice-Pres. of Homeroom 52, Red Cross Rep. 53; HAMILTON, HORACE D., Football 51, T&I Club 52-53, Track 51; HAMLIN, BOB RAY, Football 52-53; HAMMACK, ROBERT EUGENE, Homeroom Pres. 51, T&I Club Pres. 52, Vice-Pres. of Homeroom 53, T&I Club 51-53; HANSON, NANCY RUTH, Student

Council Alt. 51, T&I Club 51, Pep Squad 51, Allied Youth 52, F.T.A. 52-53; Row 3—Harman, Marlene, Swimming Team 51-53, Archbearer 52, F.H.A. 53, Pep Squad 51; HARNAGE, ROBERT JUDD, Curtis Captain for Homeroom 53; HARRIS, NELLIE, Entre Nous 52, T&I Club 52-53; HAVENS, BARBARA ANN, Jr. Red Cross Rep. 51, M-Service 51-53, Archbearer 52, Choral Club 52-53, F.H.A. 52-53, Sec. of Homeroom 52, Maid of Honor to Jr. Sweetheart 52, Pep Squad 51-52, Make-Up Club 53, Glee Club 51, International Relations 52; HEAD, EDWARD JOHN, Choral Club 51-53, Key Club 52-53.

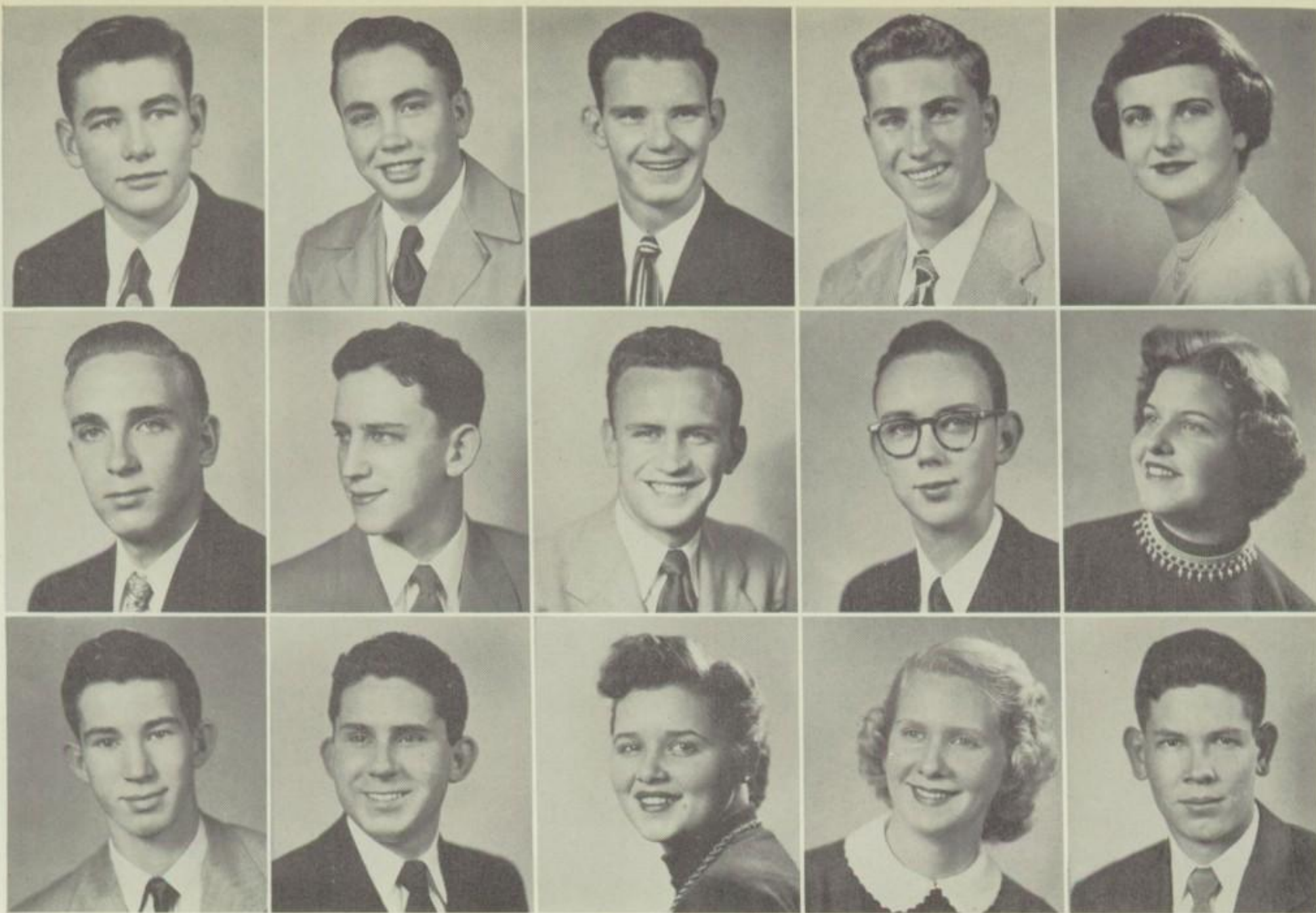




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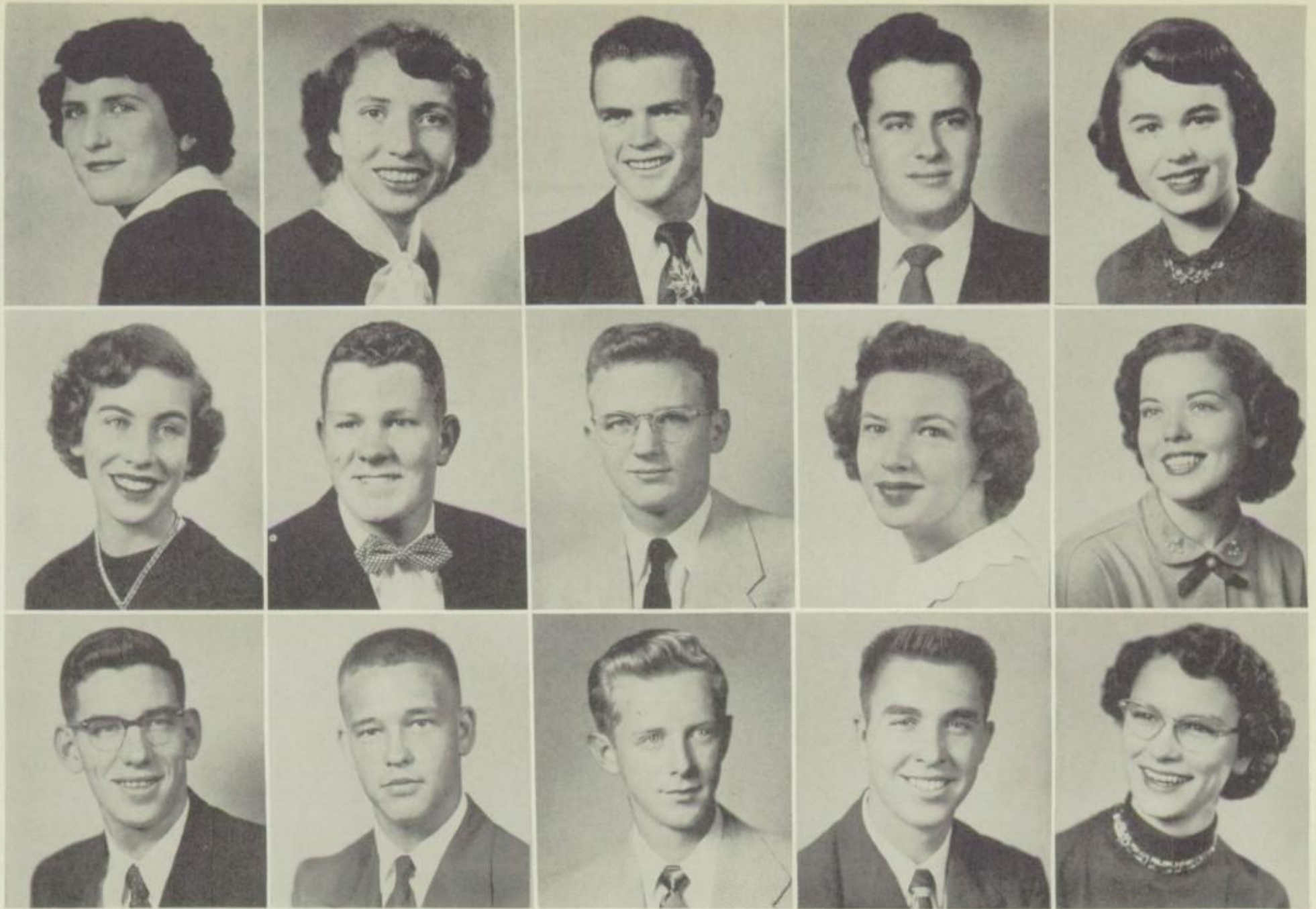


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CARTER, DAN, T&I Club 51, Vice-Pres of Homeroom 51, Student Council 52, Okla. Honor Society 52, M-Service 52, T&I Club Pres. 53; McCLENDON, MARY, Library Club 51-52, D.E. Club 53; McClure, DOLLY, T&I Club 53.

Secretary and Treasurer for Senior Class





Row 1—McCUTCHEON, BILLYE; McDANIELS, WANDA; McDONALD, NIEL; McEACHRON, JOE RICHARD; McELHANEY, BARBARA, Sec. of Sophomore Class 51, Pep Club 51, Vice Pres. of Jr. Class 52, Archbearer 52, Jr. Play 52, M-Service 51-53, Crack Squad 53, Delphic 51-53, Vice President of Student Body 53, F.F.A. Sweetheart 53, Student Council 51-52; Row 2—McENDARFER, DARYL, Sophomore Play 51, Pep Club 51, Entre Nous 51-52, Glee Club 51, M-Service 52-53, Choral Club 52-53, Crack Squad 52-53 Crack Squad Flag Team 53, Sr. Play 53, Vice Pres. of Home Room 53, F.H.A. 53; McKINNEY, RALPH STEVEN; McKINNEY, BILL, Band 51, Tennis 51,53, Basketball 53; MACOMB, VERGIE EARLENE, F.H.A. 51-52, Library Club 51-53; MAYO, ALBERTA, Gremlins 51; Row 3—MEARS, JIM; MELSON, JAMES ERNEST, Football 51, Baseball 51-52; MEYER, KENNETH LEE, Band 51-53; MEYER, RICHARD EUGENE, T&I Club 51-53, Student Council 53; MIESNER, JOY, Sophomore Play 51, D.E. Club 53.

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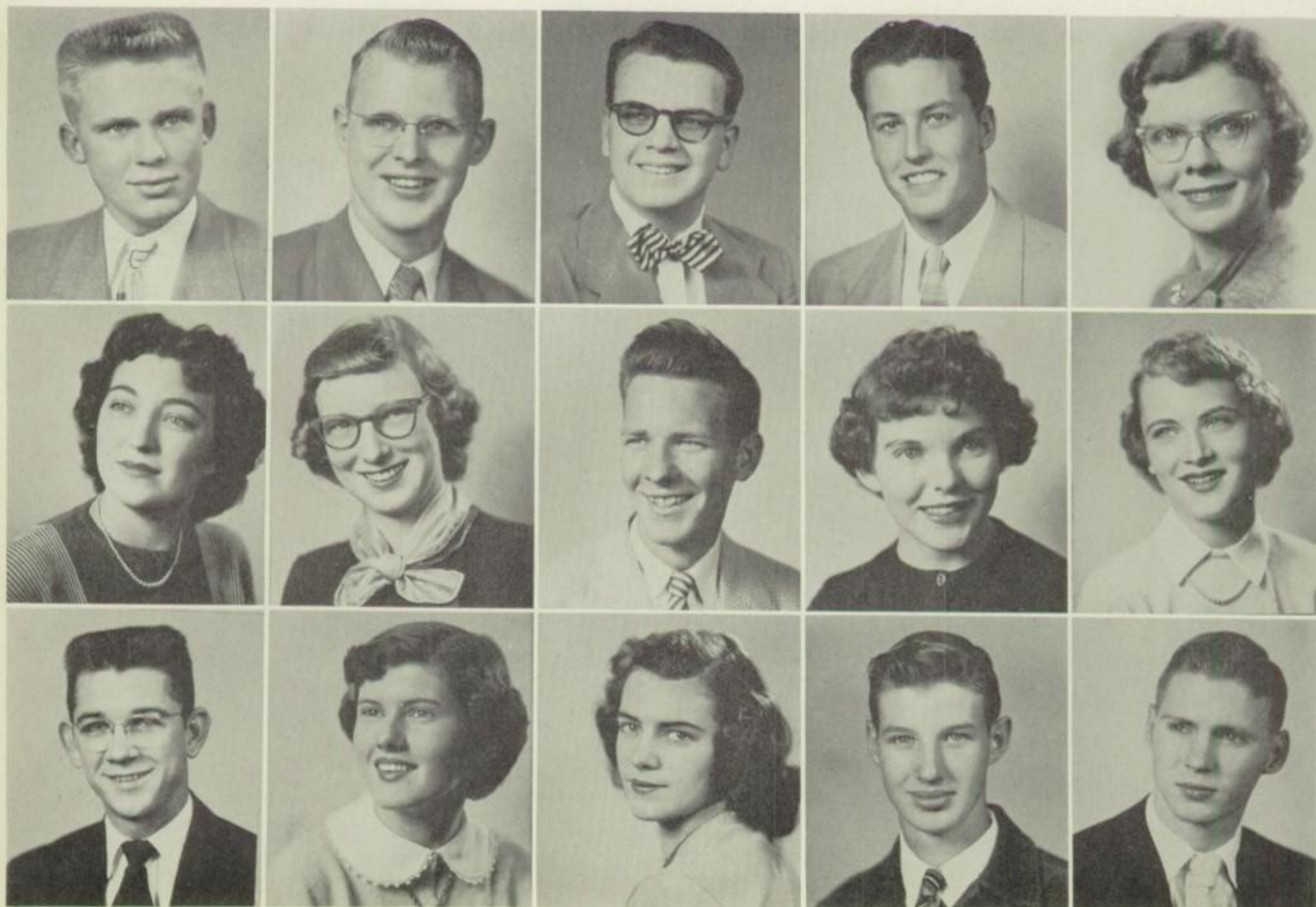


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Row 1—NICKELL, HERBERT, Student Council 51, T&I Club 52-53, Radio Speech 51, Asst. Archbearer; NIDA, JERRY RAYMOND, Band 51-53, Equipment Manager for Band 53, Jr. Red Cross 51, President of Homeroom 53, Business Manager for Chieftain 53; NUNLEY, MARILYN PATRICIA, Vice-President of Homeroom 51, Library Club 53; OMAN, MARTHA, Jr. Red Cross 51, Pep Club 51-52, F.H.A. 51-53, F.T.A. 53, Crack Squad 53, Attendant to Football Queen 53, M-Service 53, Jr. Play 52, Sr. Play 53, Gunaike 52-53, Allied Youth 52, International Relations 52, Radio Speech 51; ORMAN, MEADE, T&I Club 50-52; Row 2—OSBORN, EARL MARVIN, Swimming 52-53, Vice-Pres. of Homeroom 51; OVERMYER, GENELL, Debate 51-53, All-School Play 52-53, N.F.L. 51-53, Thespian 52-53, Okla. Honor Society 52, M-Service 51-53, Speech Club 51-53, Gunaike 53, Pep Club 51, Archbearer 52, Student Council 53, Quota Winner 52-53; OWEN, MICHAEL LYNN, Band 51-53, Equipment Manager of Band 53, M-Service 52-53, Jr. Play 52, Choral Club 53, Vice-Pres of Homeroom 52, President of Homeroom 53; PADGETT, SHIRLEY ANN, F.H.A. 51-52, Pep Club 51; PALMER, PERRY MATISON; Row 3—PAMPLIN, HERMAN ODELL, T&I Club 51-53, T&I News Reporter 53, M-Service 52-53, YCCY 52, Vice-Pres. of Homeroom 53, Jr. Play 52, Homeroom Curtis Captain 53; PAX, BILL, M-Service 52; PEACHEE, MICKIE, Vice-President of Homeroom 53; PEARSON, MARILYN ANN, Glee Club Accompanist 51, Pres. of Homeroom 51, Sophomore Play 51, Choral Club 52-53, Jr. Red Cross 52-53, Pep Club 51-52, Okla. Honor Society 52, Jr. Archbearer 52, Sr. Play 53, Make-Up Club 52-53, M-Service 51-53, International Relations Club 52, F.H.A. 52-53, Allied Youth 52; PERRY, WINNIE JO, D.E., YCCY.



Row 1—PETERSON, KEN; PETERSON, LARRY, Stagecraft 51, 52, 53, M-Service 51, 52, 53, YCCY 52-53, Allied Youth 52-53, Speech Club 53; PETTY, BOB, Sophomore Play, Scout Staff 51, Junior Play, Archbearer 52, All School Play 53, Speech Club 52-53, National Forensic League 53, National Thespian Society 52-53, Senior Play, Chieftain Staff 53; POINTS, BOBBY LEE, T&I Club 52-53; POLK, BARBARA, Glee Club 51, Pep Club 51, 52, Jr. Red Cross 51, Choral Club 52-53, Archbearer 52, Jr. Red Cross 52, Program Chairman of YCCY 52, F.H.A. 52-53, M-Service 52, Secretary of Homeroom 53; Row 2—POTTS, MARIAN LOUISE, D.E. 53, T & I Club 51, 52; POWELL, CLARA, Pep Squad 51, Homeroom Vice-Pres. 52, Archbearer 52, Sophomore Play 51, F.T.A. 52-53, M-Service 53, F.H.A. 52, 53; POWELL, DANNY, Band 51, 52, 53, M-Service, Jr. Red Cross, Ensemble 53; PUGH, BARBARA, Sophomore Play 51, Pep Squad 51; PURCELL, QUAYE ANN, Crack Squad 52-53 Archbearer 52, F.H.A. 53, M-Service 52-53, Attendant to Football Queen 53, Junior Play 52, Senior Play 53, Gunaik 52-53; Row 3—RAINES, CALVIN GENE, President of Homeroom 51, Advisory Council 52, Key Club 51, 52, 53, Band 51, 52, 53, President of Homeroom 53, Ensemble 53; RAMSEY, SUE NELL, Gremlins 51, 52, 53, Pep Squad 51, Crack Squad 52-53, President of Homeroom 52, Junior Advisory Council 52, Senior Class Secretary 53, Gunaik 53; RAPPE, BETTY JOY, Pep Squad 51, Future Teachers 51, 52, 53, Gunaik 51, 52, 53, YCCY 52; RECTOR, JOE ALLEN, F.F.A. 51, 52, 53, Vice-President of F.F.A.; REDMAN, BILLY.





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1. Jerry Juergens and Jeanne Williams seem to be discussing an important matter.
2. During the day that students took over teaching positions, George Ladd, acting as dean of boys, found no time to confer with Murl Spears.
3. Who or what could be so interesting to Joan Lewis and John Head.
4. Central's cheer-leading squad of Merrill Johnson, Bill Blaylock, Martin Jeness, John Boeckman, Charles Dunlap, and John Head.
5. Look at that evil grin on Charles' face as he smears Mary with the pie!





JUNIORS



Junior Class Officers—Linda Kleppinger, Gene Foreman, Jim Savage, Bertina Satterfield.

The Junior Class of 1953, prepared to make this class the best ever, got off to a good start with an enrollment of 326 on September 2, 1952.

The first important event on the junior calendar was the election of class officers. They elected Gene Foreman, president; Linda Kleppinger, vice-president; Bertina Satterfield, secretary; Jim Savage, treasurer. Mary Louise Maddin and Dean Nixon represented the class on the advisory council.

Bringing many honors to Central through the debate team were two outstanding juniors, Diana Bankston and Fred Dorwart. Also, several juniors were high salemen in the Curtis campaign. This class has always placed high on the honor rolls.

Representing the juniors on the 1953 Rougher football team were Tom Brooks, Robert Montgomery, Dick Lane, Sam Woods, Richard Roberts, Lloyd Keaton, Bill Sturm, James Barrett, Grover Shep-

herd, James Wood, Bill Pritchett, and Ronnie Perdue. Members of this class were also active participants in the other sports at Central.

The annual junior play was presented on the nights of February 26th and 27th and proved to be one of the most successful junior plays ever given at Central. On the last night of the play, the annual Junior Sweetheart was crowned by Norma James who won this contest in 1952.

Perhaps the most significant event of the year was the choice of senior class rings. After the ring committee had selected three rings, the class as a whole made the final decision.

Climaxing the year was the Junior-Senior prom which was very outstanding, and on this happy note the class of '54 ended their junior year.



Adams, Mary Lou
Allen, Wayne
Alsabrook, Bill
Anderson, Carol
Archer, Wana
Ballew, June



Ballew, Phyllis
Banks, Benny
Bankston, Diana
Barrett, James
Bennett, Jerry
Bennett, Sammie Lee



Berry, Phil
Bingham, Don
Bishop, Richard
Black, Georgia
Blair, Jo Anne
Bockenheuser, Charles



Bolding, Minnie Ellen
Bolding, Troy
Bolinger, Anna Jean
Boss, Fred
Box, Claudette
Bradford, Carol



Bradley, David
Brewer, Bill
Broadus, Donald
Brooks, Thomas
Brown, Phil
Bryce, Janetta



Buck, Wanda
Carlton, David
Carroll, Robert
Carter, Alice
Carter, Delores
Castleberry, Rosemary



Chappell, C. L.
Chilcoat, Sue
Choate, Danny
Clarkson, Bob
Clayton, Marshall
Clift, Phillip



Cloud, Joanne
Cluck, Don
Collins, Basil
Cook, Sadie
Cooper, Betty
Cooper, Freddy

Covington, Gary
 Cox, Chester
 Cox, Esther
 Craig, Glen
 Crittenden, Richard
 Croman, Anita



Cullen, Rebecca
 Culver, Kenneth
 Cunningham, Jim
 Daniels, Wayne
 Darnell, Juanita
 Davenport, Reitha



Davis, Beth
 Davis, Bill
 Dismuke, Billy
 Dobson, Islarae
 Dobbs, Forrest
 Dodson, Charlotte



Dodson, Delores
 Dorsch, Darlene
 Dorwart, Fred
 Drake, Jim
 Duca, Marty
 Eller, Jane



Eller, Jimmy
 Faulk, Nancy
 Fields, Lola
 Finlayson, Sue
 Finley, Lisbeth
 Foreman, Gene



Franklin, Charles
 Freudenberg, Merle
 Fuqua, Marlene
 Gard, Bob
 Garrison, Jack
 Gerdes, Patsy



Gholson, Mildred
 Gibson, Carl
 Gibson, Jim
 Goble, Shirley
 Gordon, Carrolle
 Gray, Horace



Green, Lewis
 Griffith, Jimmy
 Grossman, Peggy
 Grove, Willa Mae
 Haines, Steve
 Hamilton, Maxine





Hamlin, Harriett
Hammond, Ann
Hammons, Jimmie
Harbison, Mary
Harnage, Don
Harp, Dorothy



Harris, Bobby
Harrison, Mary Frances
Harrison, Toddy
Hay, Jo
Hayes, Thomas
Hegwood, LaVern



Henry, Pat
Henson, Jack
Hepworth, Edward
Highers, Bob
Hobbs, Jack
Hodges, Leona



Holcombs, A. G.
Holder, Sparky
Holeman, Mary Arlene
Holland, Irene
Horn, Jean
Hudson, Langdon



Hughart, Ruby
Hughes, Bessie
Hughes, Johnnie Mae
Hulet, Barbara
Humphrey, Roland
Hunter, Imogene



Hutcheson, Alyce
Ivey, Bill
Jackson, Lanny
Jackson, Neoma
Jobe, Keith
Johnson, Marjorie



Johnson, Ramona
Johnston, Leon
Jones, Gerald
Jones, R. B.
Keaton, Loyd
Keeling, Keith



Kennedy, Frances
Kennedy, Margaret
Keown, Mary
King, Maybelle
King, Nick
Kirby, Donna

Kleppinger, Linda
 Knight, Merriman
 Ladtkow, Karlene
 Lane, Dick
 Lane, Wilma
 Layden, Kathleen



Layne, John
 Lefler, Letitia
 Lipsey, Mary
 Love, Beatrice
 McBride, Charlotte
 McDonald, Pixley



McDowell, Estell
 McDowell, Jean
 McDuffey, Don
 McDuffey, Joan
 McElhaney, Pat
 McFadden, Gerald



McFarland, James
 McGrath, Don
 McManus, Gerald
 Macomber, Howard
 Madden, Mary Louise
 Malone, Leonard



Mann, Jack
 Matthews, Jack
 Menees, Kathy
 Metcalf, Laura
 Miller, Harry
 Miller, Jerry Ann



Montgomery, Robert
 Moody, Betty Jo
 Moore, Lake
 Morris, Carol
 Morrow, Carol
 Morse, E. L.



Morse, Wanda
 Moses, Don
 Mowery, Ruth
 Mullins, Jim
 Murrie, John
 Myers, Billie Jean



Myers, Sue Ann
 Nash, Marilyn
 Neas, Gracie
 Nelson, Sue
 Nickens, Roy
 Nixon, Dean





Nunley, A. C.
Odell, Bobby
Oliver, Mildred
Orman, George
Osborn, Judy
Osborn, Martha



Overby, David
Owen, Joyce
Pack, Tom
Padgett, John
Page, Joyce
Peacher, Maxine



Pense, Viney
Perdue, Ronnie
Perry, Charles
Perry, Howard
Pfrimmer, Key
Phillips, Betty



Pitts, Charles
Porter, Alex
Powers, Paul
Pratt, Anna Sue
Pratt, James
Pritchett, Amanda



Pritchett, Bill
Purdin, Gene
Randall, Jo Ann
Rappe, Chester
Reed, Lora
Richardson, Karen



Ricketts, Leona
Riddle, Norma
Ritch, Jean
Roberts, Richard
Robinson, Alice
Robinson, Don



Robinson, Peggy
Robinson, Helen
Rodden, Leon
Rodgers, Charles
Ross, Louella
Rowland, Kenneth



Ruff, Barbara
Salyer, Betsy
Satterfield, Bertina
Savage, Jim
Scoggins, Harold
Self, Judith

Seward, John
 Sewell, Kelly
 Shackelford, John
 Sharum, Kay
 Shepherd, Grover
 Sherman, Jeannie

Shiew, Harold
 Sigle, Carolyn
 Sigle, Dale
 Sizemore, Jere
 Smart, Syble
 Smith, Don

Smith, Helen
 Smith, Janice
 Smith, Mary Lou
 Smith, Pat
 Spears, Jerre Sue
 Stalnaker, Bob

Stephens, Melvin
 Stephens, Norma
 Stewart, Carole
 Stuart, Reita
 Sturm, Bill
 Taylor, Plina

Terry, Eleanor
 Thomas, Julia
 Thompson, Barbara
 Tidwell, Frankie
 Tinsley, Howard
 Tracy, Doris

Tudor, James
 Upton, Leona
 Van Tuyl, Ronnie
 Vessell, Jo Ann
 Waid, Leslie
 Walker, Evelyn

Walker, Jerry
 Wallace, John
 Wanasek, Rosalie
 Ward, Kay
 Watson, Richard
 Weaver, Charles

Weaver, Nancy
 Whitaker, Mack
 White, Farrell
 White, Bill
 White, Cleatus
 White, Jimmy





Whiteley, Peggy
Whitley, Virginia
Whitten, Louise
Wilbourn, Carl
Wilcox, Wayne
Williams, John



Williams, Rodney
Willman, Louis
Wood, James
Woodard, Howard
Wright, Juanita

??Hot dogs for five cents??



The "Shag" provides fun for everyone at a student mixer.



1. Bob Gard, Jim Cunningham, James Tudor and Charles Rodgers jazz it up with the help of Mr. Updike.
2. Bob Stalnaker and Jolly Rodgers take advantage of children's day.
3. Type for the Scout is set by Tom Pack.
4. Barbara Smith watches the birdie.





SOPHOMORES



Sophomore Class Officers—Gail Cloud, Olen Treadway, Edgar Chaney, Gayle Nixon.

When the doors of Central opened after a long summer vacation, they welcomed one of the finest and most enthusiastic Sophomore classes ever seen at Central.

Getting things underway they first elected their class officers: president, Olen Treadway; vice-president, Gail Cloud; secretary, Gayle Nixon; and treasurer, Ed Chaney.

In December the class proved their dramatic talent in the presentation of the Sophomore Play, "Men Are Like Streetcars." Max Cook and Linda Conrady were introduced as Mr. and Miss Sophomore, having sold the most tickets to the play.

The Sophomores starred again in athletics. Olen Treadway, Jack McCanne, Bo Lewis, Jack McElreath, David Cundiff, Joe Rector and Lynn and Lyle Burris were on the Rougher's football team. The Sophomores also made a good showing in basketball and swimming.

Many Sophomore girls were active in the pep squad and F.H.A. Much of the success of the Glee Club, Band, debate and speech was due the Sophomore Class.

From the looks of things now it seems that the Senior Class of 1955 will be the most outstanding Central High has ever had.



Abel, Alberta
 Abston, James
 Adamson, Don
 Adkins, Richard
 Admire, Jo Ann
 Alston, Joyce Marie



Anderson, Blue
 Anderson, Frank
 Archer, Thelma
 Babb, Jo Ann
 Bacon, John
 Bailey, Gilbert



Bales, Harry
 Ballew, Glynn
 Barnes, Thomas
 Battenfield, Harold
 Bebee, William
 Bedgood, Kay



Bennett, Bernice
 Beveridge, Pat
 Beverage, Wanda
 Bias, Helen
 Biggs, Donna Jo
 Birth, Letha



Blue, Charles
 Bolton, Wally
 Bowden, Dene
 Bower, Susan
 Bowman, Linda
 Boyd, Kenneth



Boykins, Bill
 Bradley, Phillip
 Brady, Gayle
 Branscum, Imogene
 Branson, Stephen
 Branum, Eleanor



Brassfield, Evelyn
 Brassfield, Evertt
 Breece, Barbara
 Breeden, Franklin
 Brewer, Robert
 Brewer, Wayne



Bright, Hugh
 Briley, Alma
 Brooks, Francille
 Brooks, Ralph
 Brooks, Sammy
 Brotherton, Marjorie

Brown, Betty
Brown, Bill
Brown, David
Brown, Peggy
Brown, Phillip
Brown, Sally



Brumley, Don
Butler, Pat
Bunch, Olin
Burnes, Norma
Burnett, Roberta
Burris Lyle



Burris, Lynn
Busby, Gloria
Butler, Jerry
Caldwell, Nell
Campbell, Ginger
Canterbury, Patsy



Carden, Jack
Carlow, Danny
Chandler, Sam
Chaney, Edgar
Charlton, Richard
Clark, Bob



Clark, Darlene
Clark, Jim
Clinton, James
Cloud, Gail
Cole, Jerrell
Collard, Mary Jo



Collins, Danita
Conrady, Linda
Cook, David
Cook, Max
Cooper, Henry
Couch, Donna



Crabtree, Eddie
Crank, Marilyn
Crater, Carolyn
Culver, Frances
Cundiff, David
Daily, Bob



Dalton, Tom
Davenport, Ruth
Davis, Jeanean
Davis, Nancy
Davis, Peggy
Day, Ernest





Dickerson, Anna
Donnelly, John
Dotson, Kenneth
Douglas, Margaret
Dowda, Ruby
Drobek, Margaret Ann



Dufford, Leonard
Dugan, Sandra
Dumond, Acee
Duncan, Sheila
Dunkelberger, Bob
Dunn, Mary



Durham, Elaine
Dyer, Leslie
Epperson, Charles
Epps, Joyce
Evans, Anitra
Eytchison, Sue Nell



Fariss, Carolyn
Featherson, Cecil
Ferguson, Loretta
Fielder, Jean
Fike, John
Finley, Janelle



Fisher, Phillip
Fite, Betty Jo
Fitzgerald, Bill
Fletcher, Phyllis
Ford, Raymond
Foreman, Jane



Fortner, Nina
Foshee, Barbara
Fulbright, Alice
Fulton, Wayne
Garland, Delores
Garman, Beverly



Garroule, Robert
Gerdes, Milton
Gibson, DeAnn
Glenn, Ruby Louise
Goad, Corine
Goad, Florine



Godfrey, Janelle
Goines, Myra
Goodman, Jerry
Goodman, Jimmy
Grace, Bill
Graves, Jim

Greenwood, Jack
 Greer, Glen Earl
 Greer, Wanda
 Gregory, Frank
 Griffith, Jerry
 Grimes, Dick



Guess, Winnie
 Haas, Edmond
 Hackler, John
 Hackler, Myrtle Lee
 Hale, Don
 Hamilton, Anna



Hardin, Delores
 Hardin, Joyce
 Hardman, Sylvia
 Harris, J. D.
 Harris, Larry
 Harris, Shirley



Harris, Virginia
 Harrison, Charles
 Harrison, Jack
 Hayes, Douglas
 Hayes, Jasper
 Helmer, Gary



Helms, Shirley
 Henderson, Joe
 Henry, John
 Hensley, Lloyd
 Heslar, Edward
 Hickey, Bill



Highers, Donna
 Hilfiger, Rhoda
 Hill, Duane
 Hill, Faye
 Hoffman, Naomi



Holland, Virginia
 Hollis, Dale
 Honea, Joyce
 Houston, Ruby
 Howard, Jack
 Howard, Richard



Howell, Jimmy
 Howerton, Lola
 Huddleston, Darrell
 Hughes, Bill
 Hughes, Carol
 Hughes, Ruby





Huss, Lee
Hutchison, Myrna
Hughye, Nila
Jackson, Thomas
James, John
James, Peggy



Johnson, Betsy
Johnson, Patsy
Jones, Bobby
Jones, Don
Jones, Dora
Keaton, Juanita



Keith, Ralph
Kelly, Evelyn
Kelly, Michael
Kennedy, Charles
King, Michael
Kizzire, Kay



Koehler, Carolyn
Koonce, LaHoma
Krepper, Carl
LePlant, Loretta
Leatherman, Robert
Ledbetter, Jerry



Lesnak, Josephine
Lester, Bill
Lewis, Curtis
Lewis, Ellen
Likes, Jerry
Lincoln, Sammye



Logan, Amanda
Long, Edward
Long Roger
Looper, Pat
Love, George
Lowe, Jimmy



Lubbes, Shirley
Lyle, Jerry
Lyle, Patricia
McCanne, Jack
McCarter, Fred
McCormick, Alice



McCormick, Ruth
McCoy, John
McCready, Helen
McCuan, David
McCutcheon, Eddie
McEachron, Charlotte

McElreath, Jack
 McFarland, Henry
 McGrew, Donny
 McLain, Shirley
 McLarty, Kay
 Macomb, Jack



Marlowe, Blanche
 Marsden, Charles
 Martin, Jean
 Martin, Judy
 Massey, Barbara
 May, Bob



Mayo, Doris
 Meek, Fred
 Melton, Patricia
 Merryfield, Judy
 Michael, Benny
 Miller, Donna



Miller, Gloria
 Miller, Herbie
 Mills, Beverly
 Mills, David
 Mills, Maxine
 Miner, Mary



Mobley, Sally
 Moore, Duane
 Moore, Joe
 Moore, Mike
 Moore, Bob
 Morgan, Florine



Morgan, Tommy
 Morrisett, Homer
 Murphy, Don
 Muller, Sami Kay
 Nixon, Gayle
 Nodine, Sam



Norton, Robert
 Odell, Billy
 Odgen, Patricia
 Oglesbee, Frank
 Pamplin, Wayne
 Parks, Farris



Parks, Barbara
 Payne, Rita
 Peachee, Claude
 Peavler, Delores
 Pendergraft, Aurita
 Penix, Darlene





Pennington, Nancy
Perry, Jimmy
Peterson, Garland
Pierce, Gerald
Pitts, Mary Sue
Polk, Betty



Preweth, Eddie
Putnam, Bill
Quinton, Ruth
Ratcliff, Kenneth
Ray, Wayne
Rector, Joe



Reese, Freddie
Renard, Marie
Ridenour, Lloyd
Ritchie, Jimmy
Roberts, Bill
Roberts, David



Roberts, Don
Roberts, Faye
Robertson, Loren
Robinson, Crystal
Robinson, Patsy
Rodden, Joe



Rose, Dewan
Ross, Larry
Rouse, Kenneth
Royse, Jo Evelyn
Rozelle, Wynona
Russell, Mary Sue



Russell, Ollie
Salmon, J. W.
Salyers, Gerald
Sam, Billy
Sanders, John
Schroder, Ryland



Scott, Lee
Scott, Shirley
Seward, Reed
Shaver, Frances
Shelton, Patsy
Sims, Elbert



Singleton, Joy
Small, Pat
Smith, Billie
Smith, Carolyn
Smith, Eldon
Smith, James

Smith, Sue
 Smoot, Delbert
 Snyder, Bob
 Snyder, Sharon
 Sorrells, Sandra
 Spradling, Janice



Spradling, Joyce
 Staggs, Jeanine
 Staggs, Reba
 Staten, Jean
 Stelghners, Leatrice
 Stevens, Phillip



Stevens, Bobby
 Stewart, Marvin
 Stonebarger, Glen
 Story, Charlotte
 Stretch, Benny
 Sudderth, Janet



Sudderth, Mary
 Tarpley, John
 Tarver, Helen
 Taylor, Dick
 Taylor, Douglas
 Tedder, Jim



Tennison, David
 Terrell, Martha
 Thomas, Julia
 Thompson, Delores
 Tillery, Marilyn
 Trenmell, Shirley



Treadway, Olen
 Trimble, Ella Mae
 Tucker, Kenneth
 Tudor, Ben
 Tyree, Carol
 Vann, Phillip

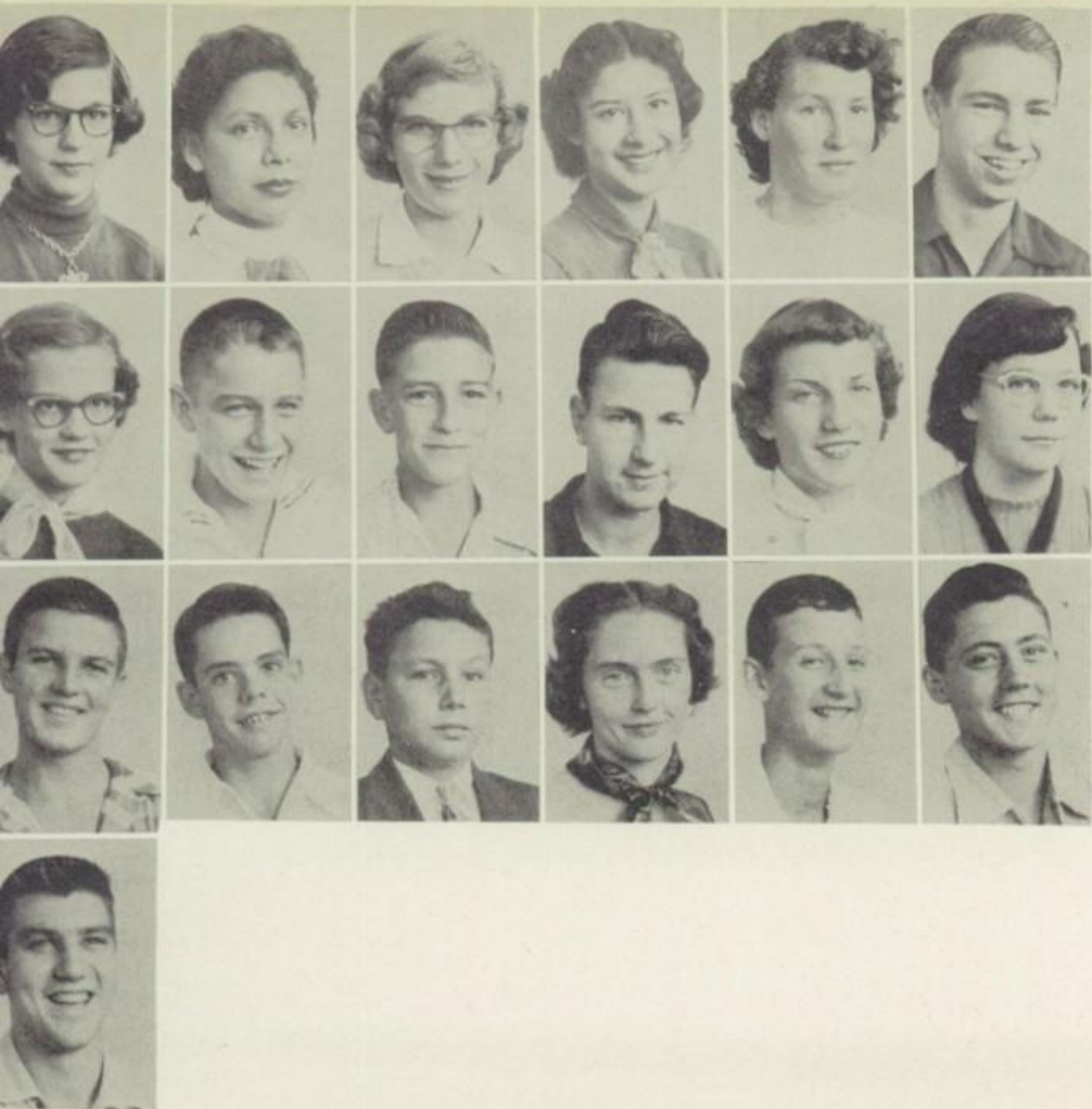


Van Tuyl, Joan
 Vinson, Lew
 Wade, Marshall
 Wanasek, Bob
 Wade, Barbara
 Waters, Janet



Weddle, Kenneth
 West, Charles
 Westmoreland, Betty
 White, Lila Lou
 White, Loretta
 Whitlow, Bonnie





Whittlesey, Joan
Williams, Margaret
Willis, Birdie
Wilson, Betty
Wilson, Eunice
Wilson, Jimmy

Wilson, Phyllis
Wilson, Sam
Wimmer, Charles
Wood, Jerry
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York, John
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Young, Herman

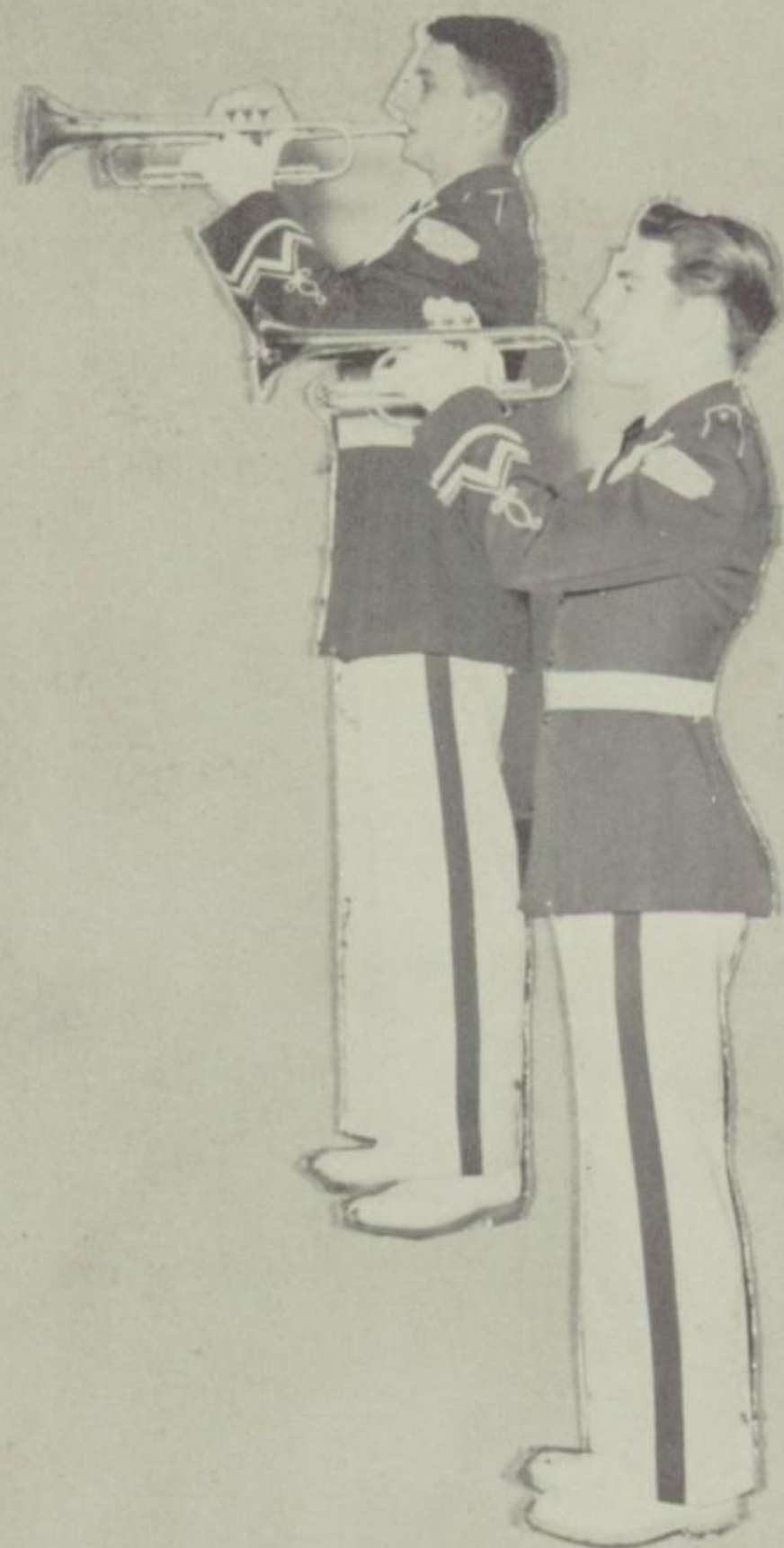


Georgia Black casts a solemn ballot in the school election.

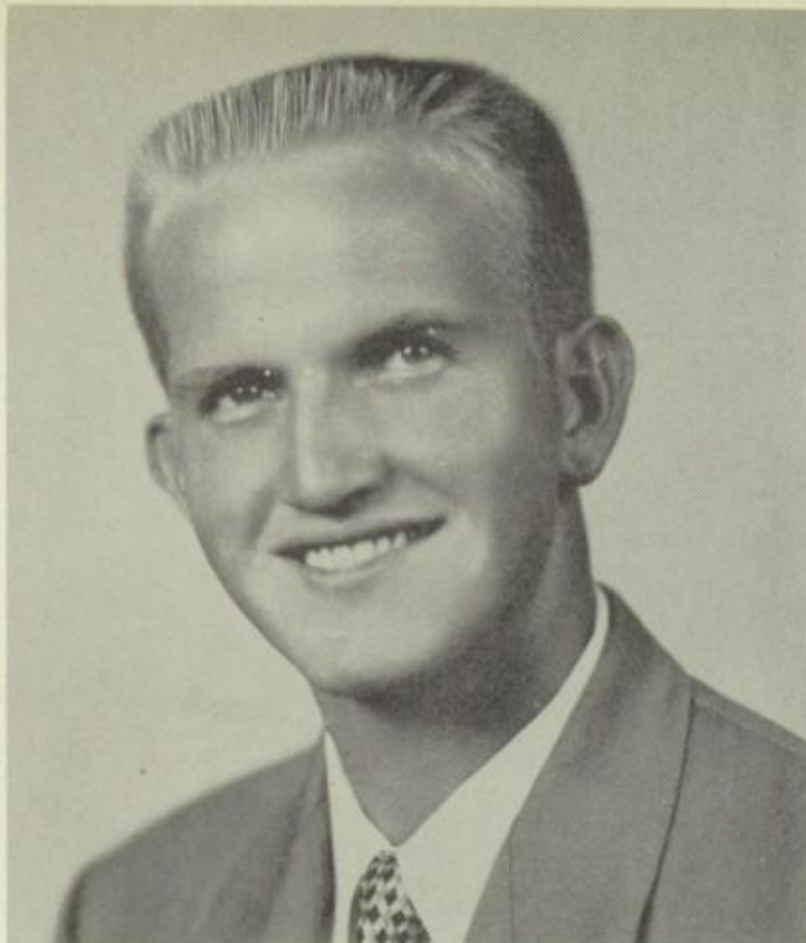


1. The "Rougher Twins" Lynn and Lyle Burris.
2. Sheila Duncan, Alice Fullbright, and Myrna Hutchison playing hooky from class.
3. The Juniors hold their own in Miss Bonna Miller's Homeroom Latin Class.
4. Tom Dalton and Olen Treadway, tops in both football and Latin.





ACTIVITIES



Jerry Lee Huggins



Barbara McElhaney

Student Government

THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT OFFICERS

At the beginning of each school year, the first and most important event to take place, is the election of a President and a Vice-President, to preside over the student body. This year, the students chose Jerry Huggins as their president for the year of 1952-53. With him, they elected Barbara McElhaney as his vice-president. These two officers were responsible for planning almost everything in which the students as a whole participated. As an example,

Jerry and Barbara were responsible for getting the best results in the Curtis campaign. For the first time in a few years, the vice-president was the one to receive the pie in her face, when completion of the campaign found her team behind. These officers did much to gain the admiration of their fellow classmates during this year.

THE ADVISORY COUNCIL

The advisory council is made up of representatives from each class. There is one from the sophomore class, two from the junior class and three from the senior class, plus the class officers. This council acts as a smaller part of the student council, of which the other part is the House of Representatives, carrying on work that is better done by a smaller organization. The advisory council this year worked on many ideas, among which were the planning of daily paper drives and the building of a parking area around the school.

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

As the legislature of Central, the House of Representatives is organized and follows the pattern of the national government. In this group, membership is comprised of a representative and an alternate from each homeroom. In order to become a member of the house of representatives, one must meet certain scholarship and citizenship qualifications.

As Speaker of the House this year, the students chose Bill Sturm. He presided over all meetings, which were held once a month on the second period. Mr. B. L. Wertz sponsors this organization.

Left to right: Darla Canard, Ann Roberts, Mary Lester, George Ladd, Barbara McElhaney, Jerry Huggins, Mr. Wertz, Gene Foreman, Jackie Harrison, Charles Dunlap, Mary Louise Maddin, Bertina Satterfield.



As a Student Council, these students had many activities. Once again they supervised the cafeteria during lunch hour, seeing that tables were left as clean as possible and doing a splendid job of overseeing. The annual Curtis Magazine Sales campaign was sponsored by the student council, and they went over the top with \$10,000.00. The council gave the faculty a pre-Christmas luncheon, during which students managed the offices and taught the classes.

The Lyceum numbers brought to Central were under the sponsorship of the student council.

Each year also, Central sends two students, chosen by the student body, to a career conference at Oklahoma University. This project is sponsored by the student council, and this year they sent Mary Lester and Charles Dunlap to this conference. Members of the council also attended a State Convention at Purcell under the sponsorship of the student council.

Many important activities of the school were made possible by the student council this year.



Juniors, Carol Morrow, Linda Kleppinger and Steve Haines examine the Curtis prizes.

Row 1—Peggy Grossman, Virnnie Hogan, Gail Brady, Genell Overmeyer, Grace Mikelson, Norma James, Linda Kleppinger, Janet Waters, Peggy Davis.

Row 2—Dorothy Stockton, Jeannie Williams, Dorris Holmes, Mary Jo Collard, Jo Ann Babb, Lee Jestice, Reggie Gibson, Bob Henderson.

Row 3—Betty Gould, Kay Pfrimmer, Barbara Smith, Linda Conrady, Mary Lester, Jack Cardin, Mr. McEndarfer.

Row 4—Ferris White, Henry Garland, Eddie Lewis, Fred Dorwart, Harold Battenfield, Edgar Chaney.

Row 5—Pat Walker, Jim Savage, James Tudor, Bill Alsabrook, Tom Brooks, Frank Breeden, Jim Crow, Bob Cheek.

Row 6—Gene Foreman, Charles Dunlap, Charles Perry, Sparkey Holder, Buddy Harrison, Jack McElreath, Bill Sturm.





Charles Dunlap and Mary Lester, vice-president and secretary of Oklahoma Honor Society.

society is limited to juniors who are in the upper ten per cent of their class. Members are initiated in the Spring of each year.

An activity of these students was the sophomore orientation last year. At the end of each school year, the ninth grade students are invited to visit Central as a prevue of the following school year. The program last year was planned and presented by members of the Oklahoma State Honor Society.

In 1949, the Anavisu Chapter of the Oklahoma State Honor Society was organized for the purpose of stimulating interest and achievement in underclassmen. Membership in this

When this group was initiated in the Spring of 1952, they chose as their officers: Chester Brooks, president; Charles Dunlap, vice-president; Mary Lester, secretary; Bill Morrer, treasurer. When they met the following fall to elect officers once again, these people were re-elected. Under the guidance of these officers, this group had a very successful year.

Row 1—Virnnie Hogan, Ann Brooks, Jeannie Williams, Genell Overmeyer, Martha Wieland.

Row 2—Sharon Branson, Louise Shores, Patricia Clarke, Bill Moorner, Mary Lester, Chester Brooks, Mary Jane Ellis, Mary Frances Izell, Marilyn Pearson.

Row 3—George Ladd, Joe Kriener, John Jobe, Gaynelle Willis, Lee Jestice, Bill Jarrard, Owen Black.

Row 4—Paul Greuel, Joe Schubert, Francis Reed, Don Mills, Jerry Huggins, Robert Briley, Eddie Lewis, Joe Wertz.





Row 1—Shirley Fugate, Shirley Howdeshell, Barbara Crossland, Sue Nell Eytcheson, George Ladd, Mary Lester.
 Row 2—Helen Tarver, Joyce Hrinia, Myra Goines.
 Row 3—Phyllis Ballew, Jane Foreman, Patsy Robinson, Joan Ezell, David Overby.
 Row 4—Sue Finlayson, Delores Thompson, Kathleen Layden, Ruby Hughart, A. W. Robinson, Marjorie Johnson.
 Row 5—Betty Westmoreland, Reita Stuart, Mary Jane Ellis, Miss Allen.
 Row 6—Joy Singleton, Mary Ann King, Marilyn Pearson, Jack Mann, Bill Dismukes.
 Row 7—Myrtle Hackler, Hugh Bright, Sam Whitley.
 Row 8—Jim Hicks, David Cundiff, Danny Powell, Sam Chandler.

Junior Red Cross

Under the sponsorship of Miss Marian Allen, the Central High Junior Red Cross began this year with the election of the following officers: Mary Lester, president; George Ladd, vice-president; Joan Fink, secretary; Charles Dunlap, treasurer. The chapter met on the third Tuesday of each month to make plans and discuss projects. Each homeroom in school was represented by a member and an alternate, chosen by students in their respective homerooms.

Remembering that "Service for others", is a part of their creed, the members gave four baskets of food to needy families at Thanksgiving. In co-operation with the Red Cross the Central chapter completed a School Chest. This chest, to be sent to the school children of Korea, contained such articles as first aid kits, school and health supplies, and recreation equipment. The contents were given to the Junior Red Cross by the various homerooms.

In February, the members sponsored a Valentine party for the patients at the Veteran's Hospital. At Easter, a musical party for the Old Folks' Home was presented.

By assisting the Red Cross Blood Mobile, the Central High chapter of Junior Red Cross closed its year of service.

Charles Dunlap, Joan Fink, Mary Lester and George Ladd, Junior Red Cross officers, confer on an important matter.





Seated—Richard Crittenden, Barbara Thompson, James Tudor, Jo Hay, Bob Clarkson.

Row 1—Laura Metcalf, Sammie Bennett, Ted Boyd, Alyce Hutcheson, Estella Beardsley, Karen Richardson, Gail Brady, Marjorie Brotherton, Viney Pense, Jeannine Sherman, Margaret Drobek.

Row 2—Jeanette Murphy, La Vern Hegwood, Carol Morris, Nick King, James Pratt, Ronnie Perdue, Jim Drake, Fred Boss, Alice Fullbright, Roland Humphrey.

Row 3—Mr. Landers, Wana Archer, Don Bingham, Gary Covington, Harold Shiew, Gerald McManus, Larry Peterson, Jimmy White, Lewis Green, Mr. Grant.

Allied Youth

Allied Youth is a teen-age organization designed to help young people learn the facts about alcohol, and to face the pressure for social drinking. It also provides social outlets for teen-agers.

Allied Youth, nationally sponsored by outstanding business men, was organized at Central in 1952 by Mr. Roy Breg, National Secretary.

This year under the sponsorship of Mr. Landers and Mr. Grant, James Tudor as president, led the club through a successful year. They met each third Tuesday in the Library, and also once a month in the evening at the home of a member.

In December, the members enjoyed a Christmas party, and in January a "Scavenger Hunt." In February, Allied Youth had its chartering service at which time new members were initiated in a candle light ceremony. Mr. Roy Breg was the guest of honor for the evening.

The officers for 1953 were: James Tudor, president; Harold Shiew, vice-president; Richard Crittenden, Treasurer, and Barbara Thompson, secretary.



YCCY

Creed: We, a group of students seeking to understand Jesus and follow Him by uniting in the desire to realize a full and creative life through a growing knowledge of God, and associating ourselves in general unity for the propagation of Christian testimony under the name of "You For Christ And Christ For You." We gladly assume the responsibility and privilege that has been committed to us and hereby recognize ourselves as "You For Christ and Christ For You."

With the above creed, the Y.C.C.Y. was organized at Central in 1951-52, with Mr. Manuel Ramirez as sponsor. This year the members met each Tuesday morning at 7:45 in the auditorium. At these meetings Dr. Walter G. Letham and other local ministers were guest speakers. Also members themselves spoke to the group or conducted group discussions. During the year educational and religious films were shown. At every program there was group



John Layne directs the members of YCCY in part of their morning worship, the singing of a hymn.

singing and often special numbers in song and music were presented.

In the early fall, Robert Smith was elected president; Norma James, vice-president; Nancy Weaver, pianist; John Layne, song leader; Janice Spradling, program chairman and Diana Bankston, secretary. Mr. Manuel Ramirez was the sponsor.

Row 1—Estella Beardsley, June Ballew, Connie Cooper, Barbara Parks, Joyce Spradling, Peggy James.

Row 2—Diana Bankston, Nancy Weaver, John Layne, Jerry Juergens, Janice Spradling, Norma James, Marjorie Brotherton, Winnie Jo Perry.

Row 3—Robert Montgomery,, Larry Peterson, Jim Ashworth, Jack Morgan, Keith Keeling, Ted Boyd, Mr. Ramirez.





Row 1—Mary Arlene Holeman, Joanne Ward, J. J. Bonnicelli, Genell Overmeyer, Patricia Clarke, Mary Frances Izell.

Row 2—Miss Frank, Dorothy Harp, Diana Bankston, Johanna Foshee, Ruth Quinton, Reitha Davenport, Martha Osborne, Marlene Fuqua, Carol Bradford, Mary Louise Maddin, Beth Davis.

Row 3—Reggie Gibson, Bill Breshears, Amanda Pritchett, Jerry Juergens, Marty Duca, Bill Moorner, Barbara Smith, Pat Dyer, Robert Smith, Joe Schubert, Pixley McDonald.

International Relations Club

The International Relations Club, under the Sponsorship of Miss Kate Frank, met in the Student Lounge on the third Tuesday of every month.

In 1951, a group of students believing that there could be no successful international relations until the peoples of the world understood each other, organized this club to study how a better understanding might be promoted.

Genell Overmeyer discusses a plan with the club.



This year the programs were devoted to the study of other lands. In this connection they studied how the foreign nations celebrate Christmas and other world-wide holidays. They had programs explaining the social conditions and political affairs of the other countries. Some meetings were devoted to the discussion of America's foreign policy. In others the organization, the agencies and accomplishments of the United Nations were studied.

This group, believing that to the peoples of the world, food, clothing and shelter come first, participated in the national drive for "Used Clothing for Korea." To extend the understanding of democracy many members have written to students in Japan. Others secured the names of foreign students as pen pals for Centralites who were not members of International Relations Club.

At the beginning of the year, the following officers were elected; Genell Overmeyer, president; John Bonicelli, vice-president; Mary Frances Izell, secretary; Pat Clarke, treasurer; Joanne Ward, program chairman; Arlene Holeman, project chairman.



Seated—Betty Gould, Barbara Chaney.

Row 1—Amanda Logan, Mary Smith, Jo Elaine Williamson, Patsy Brown, Bill Jarrard, Carolyn Sigle, Mrs. Doughty.

Row 2—Horace Gray, Bill Dismukes, Jerre Sizemore, Don Bingham, Danny Choate, Robert Broaddus, Robert Leatherman.

Library Club

The Library Club of Central High School was organized in 1949 under the sponsorship of Mrs. Catherine Jenkins and Mrs. Alma Doughty, librarians. The purpose of the club was to help the library assistants to learn more thoroughly how to use the facilities of the library so in turn, they could help fellow-students; also to afford the means for members to become better acquainted. To be eligible for membership a student must work at least one hour each day in the library.

This year the Club met at 9:30 on each third Tuesday. At this time the members discussed the different phases of library work, the new books and current magazines. One morning a trip was made to the Public Library. The regular work of the members each day was shelving books, filing cards and checking out books.

However, it was not all work for this club, for often at the regular meetings refreshments were served, especially if some member had a birthday. In the fall the Club had a dinner at the Frances Cafeteria, at which the officers for the year were installed. In the spring the annual picnic was enjoyed at Honor Heights.

The officers for 1953 were: Barbara Chaney, president; Betty Gould, vice-president; Mary Lou Smith, secretary; John Jobe, treasurer; Mrs. Alma Doughty is still sponsor.

With no fan-fare the members of Library Club have rendered real service to the students and teachers of Central High.

"There is no frigate like a book
To take us leagues away."

Members of the library club help Mrs. Doughty in checking out books.



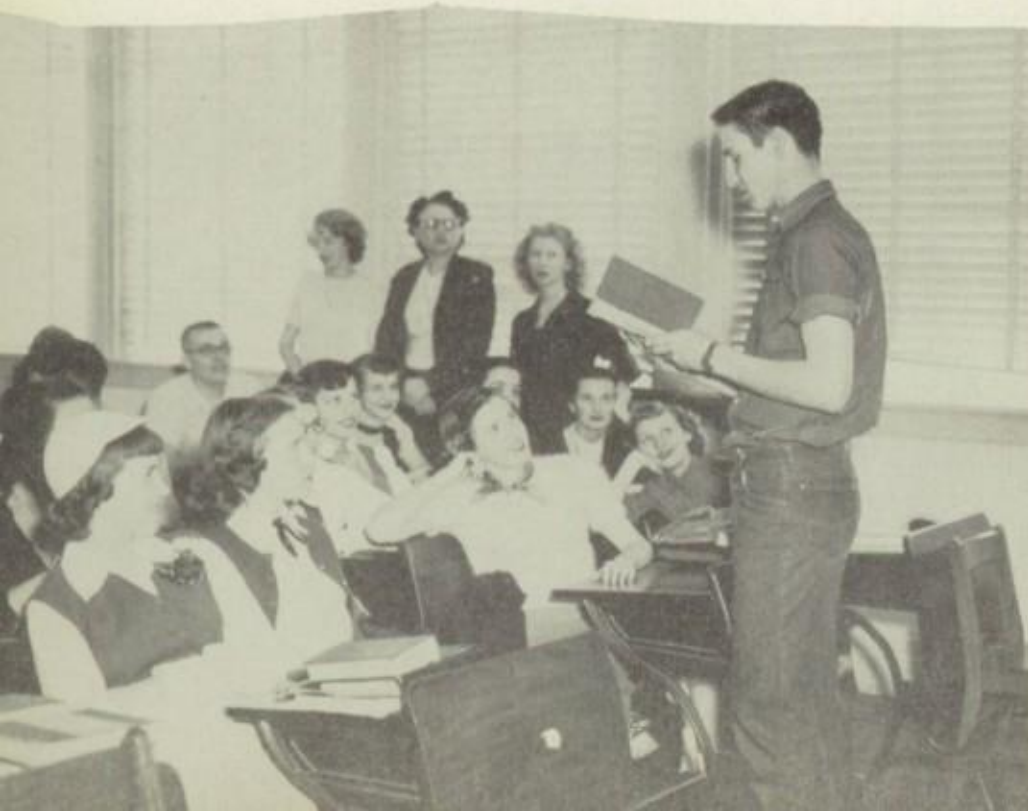


First Row—Johanna Foshee, Barbara Crossland, Delores Lyle, Wilma Lane, Myra Hodge, Marietta Bainbridge.
 Second Row—Georgia Black, Shirley Burkett, Patty Derrick, Judy Osborn, Barbara Slape, Clara Powell.
 Third Row—Rosalie Wanasek, Pat Smith, Nancy Hanson, Myrna Trippard, Beatrice Love, Connie Beth, Bob Clarkson.
 Fourth Row—Julia Thomas, Twyla Rose, Beverly Roberts, Manuella Bales, Shirley Rew, Martha Oman.
 Fifth Row—Peggy Dixon, Shirley Fugate, Flora Blair, Louise Shores.
 Sixth Row—Charles Bowman, David Miller, Joe Crank, Bill Dereberry.
 Standing—Miss Zella Morton, sponsor.

The Emma Willard Chapter of Future Teachers is now in its fifth year. Interest has grown and membership has increased to thirty-five.

At the 1952 State Convention at Oklahoma City University, the chapter received an honor when Beverly Roberts was elected State President of the F.T.A. High School Clubs. Attending the Future Teachers group at the Oklahoma Educational Association Convention in Oklahoma City

Joe Crank practices being a teacher.



during October, were: Connie Beth, Beverly Roberts, Louise Shores and Julia Thomas.

The above four girls also represented the officers of the Emma Willard Club when they attended a Delta Kappa Gamma Tea in Okmulgee, in honor of the Muskogee Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma, honorary sorority for teachers.

Keeping in mind the F.T.A. motto, Service, the F.T.A. members were always prompt to answer the call for help when assistance was needed by local teachers.

Future Teachers made a contribution to the March of Dimes during the January campaign for funds.

The members studied the **American Citizen's Handbook**, **Find Your Own Frontier**, **Twelfth Yearbook of Future Teachers of America**, and **Moral and Spiritual Values**. They also studied **Ethics for Teachers** and **Oklahoma School Laws**.

Mr. Harry D. Simmons, City Superintendent, addressed the F.T.A. in October, and presented an optimistic report to prospective members of the teaching profession.

Miss Zella Morton has sponsored the Future Teachers of America.

In 1953 the Muskogee Chapter of Future Farmers completed their fourth year in Central High School. The membership grew steadily from twenty-three members in 1949 to 59 members in 1953. This year was the 25th anniversary of the National Association of Future Farmers of America.

Each year chapter members set forth a Program of Work for the coming year. This year's accomplishments included some thirty major projects, most of which were successfully completed. Some of the highlights of the year were the competition at the state fairs; community service program consisting of many skilled jobs for training and benefit to the farmers of this area; preparing animals for the spring livestock show, and Spring Dairy Show; holding the Fourth Annual Donkey Basketball game; printing their fourth FFA calendar; attending the National Convention; opening a County-wide Rat Control Program; participating in the second Farm Skill Contest sponsored by the City Chevrolet Company; doing a bi-weekly radio broadcast over KMUS; making final preparation for the fourth annual Parent and Son Banquet; making plans for their fourth annual Project Tour; attending the National Hereford Show; and participating in the Connors, Miami, Eastern Oklahoma A&M College judging contests in livestock, crops, dairy, poultry, soils, and public speaking.

The Chapter boasts seven State Farmers which is the highest degree awarded on the state level, and which only two per cent of the members enrolled are eligible. The State Farmers



Officers of Future Farmers were Bill Jarrard, Jerry Hurd, Joe Rector, Tom Pack, Paul Greuel, Jimmy Eller.

are Leonard Howdeshell, Glen Cohea, Ronnie Duncan, Bud Hickey, Joe Williams, Bard Dunkleberger, and Joe Cook. Five members made application for this degree this year. They were: Bill Jarrard, Jerry Huggins, Eddie Byrne, Tommie Howdeshell, and Bob Henderson.

In addition to this, Chapter members have made five trips to Chicago and surrounding areas, to buy dairy heifers and hogs for projects. Central members have also toured Arkansas, Mississippi, and Tennessee, visiting many farms and places of interest.

Row 1—Bob Henderson, Bill Jarrard, Connie Mills, David Mills, Earl Hutson, Bob Dunkelberger, Darrell Gilbert, Jim Wood, Mr. Gene Beach.

Row 2—Jack Baumgarner, Lawrence Mills, Wayne McBride, Andy Flinn, James Duncan, George Mills, Lew Ruby, Bill Jones, Douglas Hayes.

Row 3—Glen Craig, Wayne Fulton, Jerry Cragg, Don Harnage, Bill Cavin, Jasper Hayes, Neil McDonald, Don Smith, Ronald Greb.

Row 4—Lee Scott, Fred McCarter, Phillip Fisher, Jerry Huggins, Duane Schmitt, Joe Rector, Jerry Hurd, LeRoy Stidman.

Row 5—Paul Greuel, Charles Marsden, Jimmy Eller, Eddie Byrne, Joe Crank, Mike Moore, Tommy Howdeshell.

Active members not shown—Lanny Jackson, Cleon Brice, Everett Brassfield, Glen Stonebarger, Leonard Howdeshell, Glen Cohea, Joe Cook, Earl Smith, Gene Collins, Joe Klug, Joe Williams, Joseph Greuel, Ronnie Duncan, Bud Hickey, David Brown, Carroll Rodgers.

Officers—Bill Jarrard, President; Jerry Hurd, Reporter; Joe Rector, Vice-President; Lanny Jackson, Secretary; Paul Greuel, Treasurer; Jim Eller, Sentinel.





Front, Left to Right

Row 1—Sammye Vernon, Kay Ward, La Veda Jennings, Clara Powell, Judy Martin, Betty Polk, Sylvia Hardman, Phyllis Wilson, Marie Renard, Joan Whittlesey.

Row 2—Dorothy Stockton, Barbara Parks, Barbara Slape, Sondra Mills, Sherry Duncan, Norma James, Betty Jo Fite, Carol Morrow.

Row 3—Shirley Hoover, Minnie Ellen Dye, Betty Joy Rappe, Barbara Craig, Shirley Rew, Wynona Rozelle.

Row 4—Myrna Trippard, Nancy Hanson, Shirley Spencer, Dolores Lyle, Mary Kathryn Dismukes, Donah Boswell, Alice Wilson.

Row 5—Jane Binford, Mary Lou Adams, Peggy Dixon, Carol Tyree, Sheila Duncan, Nancy Pennington.

Row 6—Linda Conrady, Shirley Helms, Kay Kizzire, Delphia Dennis, Loretta White, Mary Sudderth.

Row 7—Sammye Lincoln, Barbar Havens, Marilyn Pearson, Darla Canard, Joan Lewis.

F.H.A.

Future Homemakers of America is a National organization for girls who are studying Home Economics, and those who are interested in working together for a better home and community life. "Toward New Horizons" is an appropriate motto for this organization.

The Muskogee Chapter of F.H.A. was organized in 1948 by Mrs. Dorothy Boen and Mrs. May Nickens.

This year the chapter met on the third Tuesday of each month at the homeroom period. One of the most interesting programs of the year was a talk by a French War bride, Mrs. Marie

Wise, upon the homelife and customs of the French. Another was a film "Family Relations." Perhaps the highlight of the monthly programs was the style show sponsored by Durnil's. Mrs. Frances Noever of the store was in charge and she used the members of the chapter as models.

Of the national projects—"World Christmas Festivals" (in which boxes are sent abroad to the needy); "Adopting a Foreign Home Economics Class" and "Families Together"—the Muskogee Chapter this year chose "Families Together." In connection with this project a dinner was served by the members, at which the entire family of each member was present.

The Muskogee F.H.A. also participated in the State Project, "Remembering the Aging." They collected and gave scrap materials for piecing quilts.

As a local project the chapter took part in the "Village Fair." They had a booth at which food, made by the girls themselves, was sold. Earlier in the year members sold boxes of greeting cards—both Christmas and all-purpose cards.

On March 28, thirty girls with their sponsors attended the F.H.A. State Rally at Oklahoma City. At this meeting the sixteenth birthday of

F.H.A. in Oklahoma was celebrated.

In the five years of its existence the Muskogee Chapter has three times represented the District F.H.A. in the National Convention. This year the convention met in Columbus, Ohio.

Mrs. Dorothy Boen and Mrs. Jeanne Hogan were the sponsors and Mrs. R. R. Ebersole was the chapter mother. Officers for the year were: Ann Ebersole, president; Mary Dell Cluck, vice-president; Ann Brooks, secretary; Sondra Mills, treasurer; Shirley Lyle, historian; Gaynelle Willis, song leader; and Norma James, parliamentarian.

Row 1—Janet Waters, Winnie Guess, Jo Cloud, Barbara Ruff, Sue Chilcoat, Leonia Hodges, Peggy Davis, Gail Cloud, Martha Terrell.

Row 2—Loretta Ferguson, Janet Sudderth, Donna Miller, Gloria Miller, Sami Kay Muller, Bessie Waters, Ann Ebersole, Joann Admire.

Row 3—Sally Mobley, Marjorie Benson, Connie Cooper, Darlene Dorsch, Kay Sharum, Kay McLarty, Peggy James, Darlene Penix.

Row 4—Aureta Pendergraft, Nelda Smith, Virginia Fischer, Daryl McEndarfer, Grace Mikelson, Louise Whitten.

Row 5—Leslie Waid, Jeanne Williams, Barbara Polk, Sondra Sorrels, Charlotte Dodson, Islarae Dodson, Janice Spradling.

Row 6—Georgia Black, Pat Smith, Sue Fields, Eleanor Branum, Myrna Hutcheson.



The active membership of the Trade and Industrial Club was made up of all students, both boys and girls, who were enrolled in trade subjects and who paid dues and were initiated. The Muskogee Club was divided into seven units which function individually for social activities, planning sessions, and for sponsoring programs for the complete club. Each one of the seven units represented an Industrial subject. They were: Machine Shop, Cabinet Making, Printing, Vocational Stitchery, Auto Mechanics, Diversified Occupations, and Radio.



Left to Right—Reporter, Jo Ann Babb; Sergeant-at-Arms, Johnny Crater; Secretary-Treasurer, Norma Jean Stephens; Vice-President, Claybourn Seward; President, Dan McCarter.



Row 1—Left to Right—David Carlton, Pat Looper, Charles Perry, Bill Thomas, Howard Woodard, Laura Jane Hilburn, Patsy Davis.

Row 2—Walter Bryson, Farrell White, Bobby McGeehon, Odell Pamplin, Bob Hamlin, Betty Phillips, Evelyn Walker.

The Club as a whole met monthly in the school auditorium on the third Tuesday, for a program and a business session. Other activities of the club were: visitation of industry, in and out of Muskogee; participation in the T&I Field Day Competition at A&M College, Stillwater; and the annual **Spring Vocational Show** held at the Municipal Auditorium. All of these activities were valuable for leadership development.

Field trips to Muskogee industry were made to the Fort Gibson Dam, Brockway Glass Company, Muskogee Iron Works, River Bank Power Plant, Swift & Company Produce Plant, Bell Telephone Company and the City Water Plant. Field trips out-of-town were made to the Spartan Aircraft Company, Tulsa, by the Cabinet Making group; Seamprufe Company, McAlester; Commander Mills Company, Sand Springs; and the Elsing Blouse Company at McAlester, by the Vocational Stitchery group.

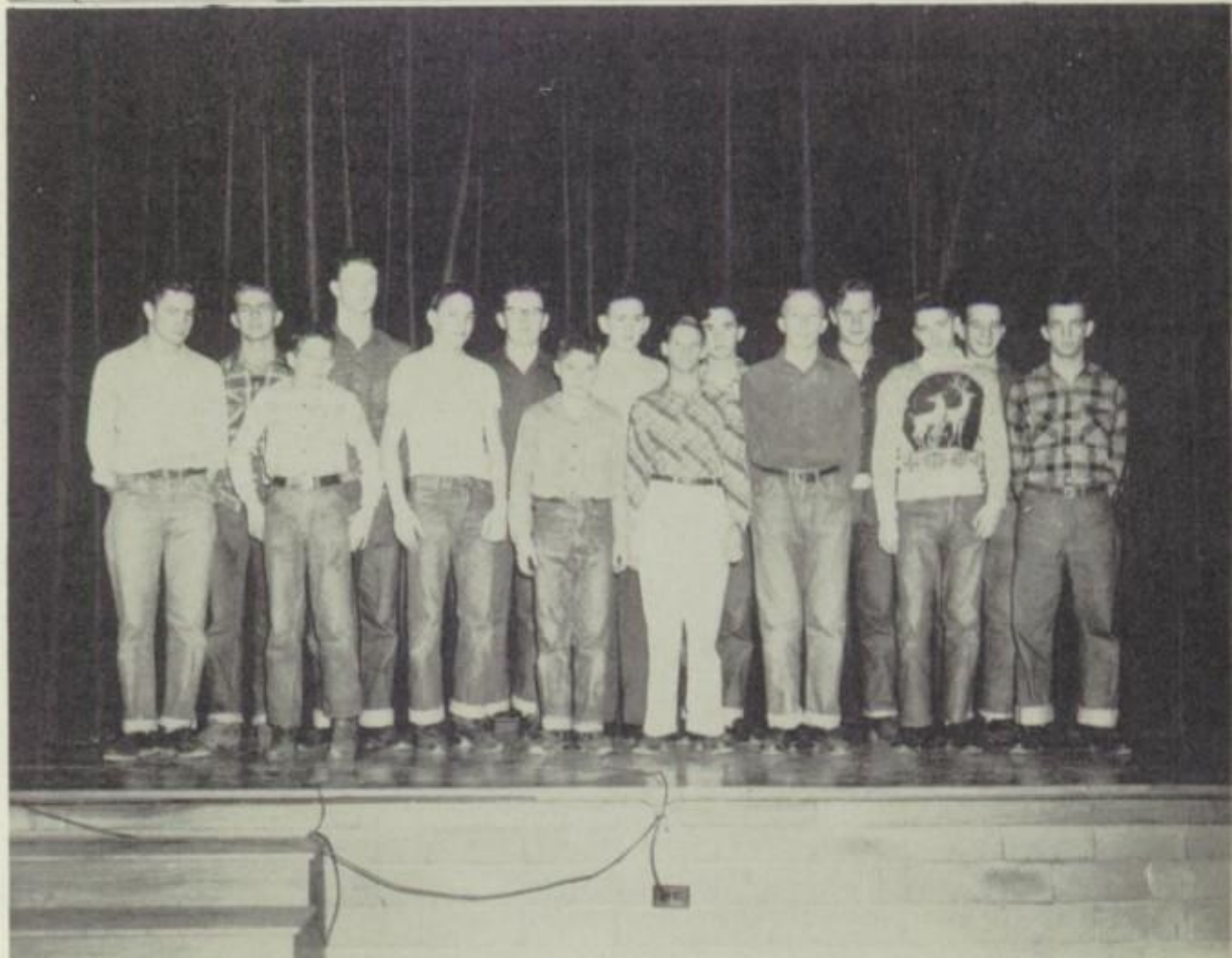
Row 1—Edmond Haas, Peggy Dodson, Darlene Lyle, Corina Reese, Bob Points, Troy Boling, Johnny Crater, Donald Mills.

Row 2—Louis Willman, Bill Ivey, Betty Arnold, Patsy Canterbury, Estella McDowell, Charles Clancy, Pat Davis, Dan McCarter.



Row 1—Eddy Fitzsimmons, Richard Watson, Jack Hobbs, Jimmie Howell, Ed Pruitt, John Bemo, Virgil Moore, Don Henderson.

Row 2—Perry Elliott, Bill Dickson, Claybourn Seward, Cecil Featherston, Bill Hughes, Chester Rappe, Tom Cook.



Muskogee T&I Club has done well in Field Day Competition at A&M College since its inception three years ago. Muskogee was first in the State the first year and second the following two years. In the last meeting, Richard Meyers won first place in Cabinet Making, and Jerry Dunnegan won second. Keith Jobe won second in Machine Shop, and Don Henderson won third. Peggy Dry won third in Parliamentary Procedure.

Highest honors in the National Clothing

Contest sponsored in Oklahoma by the Tulsa Tribune went to two Muskogee T&I Club girls, Ann Brooks and Jerre Sue Spears. Jerre Sue made the best dress in the high school division of the National Sewing Contest, and thereby won a week's trip to New York City.

The sponsors of the seven groups were: Mr. E. B. Schirmer, Mr. M. A. Roberts, Mr. A. J. Geyman and Mr. Sherman A. Lees, Mrs. Mae Nickens, Mr. Carl D. Emerson, Mr. Philip Porter and Mr. Dale A. Reins.



Ray Napier conducts a meeting of the D. E. Club.

Distributive Education Club

The Distribution Education Club at Central was organized in 1947 by Mrs. P. L. Gassaway, its present Sponsor. The purpose of such a club is to develop progressive leadership in the field of distribution; to provide an intelligent choice of occupations and to develop an appreciation of the influence of fine arts in business.

Row 1— June Moore, Grace Edgman, Wanda Davenport, Marian Potts, Joy Meisner.

Row 2—Dona Gaymon, Thalia Pierce, Joyce Owens, Mrs. Gassaway, Dorris Holmes, Helen Whitten, Roma Jo Shay, Letitia Lefler.

Row 3—Myrna Sargent, Dolores Brazil, Jane Rice, Roxy Gordon, Jewell Van Beber, Mary McClendon.

Row 4—Jerald Jones, Doyle Thompson, Jesse Wright, Charles Pitts, Charles Ragsdale, Jerry McElhaney, Lee Allen Epps, H. A. Holcomb, Ray Napier, Wayne Allen.

The membership is made up of those students who are in regular school work half of the day, and regularly employed down town the other half.

This year the club had thirty-five members, who met the third Tuesday of each month. At early meetings a Muskogee merchant was the guest speaker. A style show, sponsored by all the stores that sell ready-to-wear clothing, was one of the most enjoyed programs.

On the social side the club enjoyed a party at Christmas time at the home of a member, and a picnic in the spring. The Employer-Employee banquet, at which the student plays host to his employer, has always been the highlight of this club. And this year was no exception. The banquet was a success and enjoyed by both the employer and employee.

In the fall Ray Napier was elected president; with Jewel Van Beber as treasurer; Dwight Daniels, vice-president; Betty Jo Pitts, secretary.





Members of Press Association—Mary Lester, Chester Brooks, Robert Montgomery, Sammye Vernon, Alyce Hutcheson, Patti Lamb, Margaret Kennedy, Reita Stuart, Jeannie Reed.

Press Association

To attain membership in the Press Association is one of the highest honors that a student of journalism can reach and it is also a method by which writers for the school paper, the Scout, receive recognition for their efforts.

Membership in Press depends upon the number of lines a student has printed in the paper. The lines are scaled to the number of semesters that a student has been enrolled in journalism. The requirement for first term students is 600 lines; second term pupils must have at least nine hundred lines printed; and third term requirements are one thousand, one hundred and fifty lines.

Eight first-term students qualified for Press the first semester of this year. Although this requirement is only six hundred lines, several of this number met the qualifications for more experienced writers. This list includes Chester Brooks, Eugene Clark, Alyce Hutcheson, Margaret Kennedy, Robert Montgomery, Dean Nixon, Jeanne Reed, and Sammye Vernon.

Reita Stuart and Norma James were the only second term students to qualify, with nine hundred lines or more to their credit.

Mary Lester editor, and La Veda Jennings, associate editor, automatically became members because of their staff positions. Another advanced journalist who met third term requirements was Patti Lamb.

High lights of the year for journalism and yearbook students are the state spring and fall conferences at Norman and the trip to the

National Scholastic Press Association meet. Central sent four delegates to this conference, which met in the Conrad Hilton Hotel in Chicago, last November. Those attending the meet were Sharon Branson, Chieftain Editor; Mary Lester, Scout Editor; LaVeda Jennings, Scout Associate Editor; and Patti Lamb, Scout Feature Editor. These four girls were accompanied by Miss Bonna Miller, Chieftain sponsor, and Miss Elizabeth Bonnell, Scout sponsor.

Four students who went to the National Convention in Chicago—Sharon Branson, Mary Lester, Patti Lamb, LaVeda Jennings.





Sharon Branson, Editor



Merrill Johnson, Associate Editor

Chieftain Staff



Miss Bonna Miller, Sponsor

Editor.....	Sharon Branson
Associate Editor.....	Merrill Johnson
Business Manager.....	Jerry Nida
Picture Editor.....	Darla Canard
Sports Editor.....	Merrill Johnson
Photographer.....	Joe Wertz
Typist.....	Barbara Chaney
Sophomore Class Editor.....	Kay Kizzire
Junior Class Editor.....	Amanda Pritchett
Activities Editor	Bob Petty
Art Editor.....	Bob Petty
Sponsor.....	Miss Bonna Miller

Merrill Johnson, Sharon Branson, Joe Wertz, Darla Canard, Bob Petty, Jerry Nida, Barbara Chaney, Kay Kizzire, Amanda Pritchett.





Row 3—Leonard Dufford, Don Hale, John Wallace, Richard Crittenden, Bob Snyder, Charles Rodgers, Charles Weaver, Everette Clement, Jim Drake, Kenneth Radcliff, Phil Berry, Kenneth Clond, A. W. Robinson, John Fletcher, Bob Gard.

Row 4—Don Cluck, Keith Keeling, Gary Covington, Ralph Smith, Bob Bass, Jim Lively, Recil Rodden, Ray Davis, Joe Wertz, Danny Powell, John James, Phillip Stephens, Gary Blunt, Bob Cheek, Bob Graves.

Row 1—Jerry Nida, Mike Owen, Sondra Mills, Charley Yadon, Merrill Johnson.

Row 2—Bob Cheek, Gene Raines, Kenneth Myers, Sharon Branson, A. W. Robinson, Joe Wertz.

Row 3—Everette Clement, Danny Powell, Recil Rodden, Bob Bass, Ralph Smith, Jim Lively, Kenneth Clond.

first band to use black light in a football show. Part of the credit for their widespread fame goes to their director, Kenneth Parker, for his ingenuity, but a great part of the credit goes to those boys for their willingness to spend extra hours in preparing the shows.

In addition to their attendance at the game, both football and basketball, the band found their time consumed by an increasing number of public appearances, both in parade and in concert. The band gave several concerts in the grandstand at the Oklahoma Free State Fair, presented their annual concerts for the Salvation Army Christmas Party at the City Hall, and for the patients at the Veterans' Hospital at Christmas-time. They appeared in concerts at Central High and at Alice Robertson and West Junior High Schools. Mr. James Neilson of Oklahoma City University directed the band in a full day of rehearsal in the spring and, as a highlight of their year, they appeared in a concert at the Ritz Theater, March 20th. This concert included a performance of Grieg's A Minor Piano Concerto by a member of the band, Miss Sharon Branson, with the band.

To climax a successful year of fun and learning, the band had their annual Junior-Senior banquet in the Pioneer Room at the Severs Hotel.





The Dixieland Band, presenting a Christmas program for Mr. Williams' homeroom.



Music for the after-game mixers is provided by the Ensemble.

Members of the Ensemble—Row 1—Charley Yadon, Fred Boss, Jim Cunningham, Kenneth Meyers, Jack Henson, A. W. Robinson.

Ensemble

The Central High School Ensemble was organized in the year 1950 by Kenneth Parker. It specializes in popular music and provides music for many activities of the school, requiring popular music.

In 1953, the Ensemble played for the after-game mixers in the school gym. These mixers, sponsored by the PTA and the Rotary Club in Muskogee, were given after each home football game and after the home basketball games on Friday night. Not only did these boys give much enjoyment and entertainment to those who listened and danced to their music, but they themselves found a great deal of pleasure in doing this.

At Christmas-time, a portion of the Ensemble, the Dixieland Band, presented several numbers in various homerooms during the period given over to Christmas parties. Students who were not fortunate enough to belong to a homeroom in which this group played, suddenly found that they had business in those homerooms, so that not many students missed hearing the band.

After Christmas, the Ensemble began a regular Friday appearance in the lunchroom. It was quite a treat for the students to have music while they ate.

This organization added much to any activity in which they participated.

Row 2—Lee Huss, Danny Powell, Bill Alsabrook, Everette Clement, Bob Cheek, Kenneth Clond, John McCoy.

Row 3—Richard Crittenden, Gene Raines.





Row 1—Leon Rodden, Donna Jo Biggs, Charles Lake, Martha Terrell.

Row 2—John Wallace, Laura Metcalf, Willa Mae Grove, Betty Wilson.

Row 3—Danny Powell, Jerry Ledbetter, Bob Daily, Phillip Bradley, Bill Alsabrook, John McCoy, Kenneth Clond.

Row 4—Pat Davis, Richard Crittenden.

Orchestra

For the first time since the early nineteen thirties, Central had an organized orchestra as such. Under the direction of Mr. Rudolph Nemec, this organization did much toward bringing honor to Central.

By way of rendering service to their school, these boys and girls played for all the school plays, and appeared in special school assemblies. Outside the school, they presented programs for various civic clubs of Muskogee.

As officers of this orchestra, the members elected Donna Jo Biggs as president, Pat Davis as vice-president, and Laura Metcalf as secretary-treasurer. Under their guidance, a successful year was completed with many members looking

forward to the next year. With the development of orchestras in the junior high schools, the orchestra at Central will continue to grow from year to year.

Mr. Nemec points out a mistake to Donna Jo Biggs and Leon Rodden.





Members of the Glee Club get together before school begins.

Glee Club

The Senior Girls' Glee Club is the only musical organization in Central that is composed entirely of girls. However, as an organization of this sort, its music is unparalleled. Miss Thelma Peters directs this group of hearts in harmony.

Accompanist—Sally Brown

Seated—Gayle Brady, Margaret Drobec, Carolyn Hayes, Marilyn Crank, Joyce Honea, Peggy Davis.

Standing—Director, Miss Peters.

Row 1—Elaine Durham, Bonnie Whitlaw, Joyce Epps, Nancy Pennington, Betty Jo Fite, Barbara Parks, Helen Tarver, Gail Cloud, Patsy Robinson, Pat Beveridge.

Row 2—Alice Fullbright, Carol Hughes, Ruby Dowda, Janice Spradling, Silvia Hardman, Patricia Ogden, Peggy James, Joyce Spradling, Darlene Clark, Ruby Houston, Jeanine Staggs.

Row 3—Ruth Archer, Joy Singleton, Marion Ellis, Irene King, Barbara Ward, Eleanor Branum, Linda Conrady, Lila White, Linda Bowman, Kay Kizzire, Marjorie Brotherton.

Row 4—Jane Foreman, Janell Finley, Ruby Glynn, Myrtle Hackler, Sandra Dugan, Judy Merrifield, Anna Falls, Francille Brooks, Mary Harbison, Rita Payne.

This organization exists not only to entertain both themselves and the public, but also to increase their knowledge of good music. During this year, they widened their musical horizons by studying the larger forms of composition, the Opera and also the Symphony. By way of putting their knowledge to active use, the girls listened to selective recordings, and also individual numbers, voice and piano, by different members of the group.

While carrying out their primary object of entertainment, the girls put on programs in several different places. These included assembly programs at Central, United Nations programs, Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter programs; a Christmas program over the radio station, KBIX; a Christmas concert for the PTA; a program for the Veteran's Hospital; their annual Spring Concert; and the All-City Music Festival.

The officers of the Glee Club this year were: Janice Spradling, president; Betty Jo Fite, vice-president; Darlene Clark, secretary; Marjorie Brotherton, treasurer; Peggy Davis, librarian; Carol Hughes, reporter.





Row 1—Shirley Goble, Leonia Hodges, Jeanine Sherman, Marjorie Benson, Virginia Fischer, David Tennison, Jimmy White, David Bradley, Mike Owen, Genell Overmeyer, Linda Kleppinger, Connie Cooper, Jo Ann Blair, Johanna Foshee, Bessie Waters, Mr. Parker.

Row 2—Karen Richardson, Janice Smith, Ruby Hughart, Barbara Craig, Ann Hammond, David Smoot, Harry Bales, Ralph Brooks, Bill Putnam, Charles Lake, Bill Alsabrook, Jerry Juergens, James Pratt, Sam Brooks, June Ballew, Mary Lester, Kay Pfrimmer, Darla McEndarfer, Joyce Hrinya.

Row 3—Marilyn Nash, Judith Self, Louise Whitten, Laveda Jennings, Roddy Lewis, Don Roberts, John Head, John Layne, Recil Rodden, John Wallace, Ken Peterson, Joe Schubert, Jack Hickey, Lewis Green, Gaynelle Willis, Freddie Cooper, Barbara Havens, Mary Lipsey, Barbara Polk, Clarice Cox.

Row 4—Pat McElhaney, Marilyn Pierson, Mary Frances Harrison, Jane Binford, Mary Frances Izell, A. W. Robinson, Jimmy Ashworth, Joe Henderson, Kenneth Weddle, Jim Hicks, Horace Gray, Frances Reed, Bob Graves, Kathryn Menees, Sue Nelson, Sue Finlayson, Mary Louise Smith, Nancy Weaver, Aileen Green.

"Music hath charms to soothe the savage beast," and the music rendered by the Central High School Choral Club of 1952-53 might truly soothe the most savage beast. To the seventy-five members of this group, their hour in Choral Club was a recess from the cares and worries of class while they concentrated on achieving their goal, to generate as much enthusiasm in as many people as possible through the medium of their music.

The enthusiasm created in everyone who heard this marvelous group of singers was exceeded only by the enthusiasm in the the singers themselves and in their director, Kenneth Parker.

This year, the Choral Club sang for many of the Civic Clubs in Muskogee; the P.T.A.; West Junior High School; Alice Robertson Junior High School, and their own student body, not to mention their annual "surprise" Christmas caroling at the home of Mr. Parker. They did special programs for Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter, some of which were recorded and later broadcast over the radio. Under the direction of Mr. James Neilson of Oklahoma City University, many of the members of Choral Club participated in a Christmas choir festival at Bacone College. Later on in the year, Mr. Neilson returned to spend a day in supervision of the Choral Club.

This organization was also responsible for bringing the men's glee club from A&M College at Stillwater to Muskogee for concerts at Central and at the two junior high schools.

The governing force of the Choral Club this year was Jerry Juergens, president; Mary Lester, vice-president; Mary Frances Izell, secretary-treasurer; Virginia Fischer and John Head, librarians.

Choral Club

The members of Choral Club during a program.





Guniake Literary Society

Row 1—Jo Ann Blair, Peggy Grossman Gail Cloud, Peggy Davis, Sue Ramsey, Norma James, Sherry Duncan, Leonia Hodges.

Row 2—Marjorie Benson, Genelle Overmeyer, Jo Ann Lewis, Donah Boswell, Gracie Mikelson, Connie Cooper, Nancy Pennington, Janet Waters, Sheila Duncan, Jo Ann Cloud, Phyllis Ballew, Claudette Box.

Row 3—Mary Lipsey, Merle Freudenberg, Rosalie Wanasek, Patty Lamb, Jeanne Williams, Shirley Lyle, Shirley Rew, Mary Lester.



Entre Nous Literary Society

Row 1—Pixley McDonald, Kay Sharum, Sue Finlayson, Betsy Johnson, Elaine Durham, Marilyn Crank, Winnie Guess, Mary Louise Maddin, Jo Hay.

Row 2—Beth Davis, Jean Horne, Carol Morrow, Amanda Pritchett, Barbara Laughery, Sondra Mills, Alice Wilson, Linda Conrady, Betty Jo Fite, Gayle Nixon.

Row 3—Barbara Ruff, Linda Kleppinger, Nancy Weaver, Anita Croman, Carol Bradford, Sue Nelson, Gaynelle Willis, Barbara Craig, Sally Day, Sally Brown, Marty Duca.





Delphic Literary Society

Row 1—Donna Jo Biggs, Donna Couch, Ann Brooks, Myrna Trippard, Shirley Goble, Kay Pfrimmer, Marjorie Johnson, Patsy Brown.

Row 2—Frances Kennedy, Delores Dodson, Marlene Fuqua, LaVern Hegwood, Carole Morris, Minnie Ellen Dye, Shirley Hoover, Kay Ward, Doris Winn, Margaret Kennedy.

Row 3—Laura Metcalf, Willa Mae Grove, Sammie Bennett, Nancy Faulk, Judy Merryfield, Maxine Peacher, Kathryn Menees, Mary Minor, Mildred Gholson.



Key Club

Row 1—Jerry Lyle, Joe Moore, Dick Howard, Herbie Miller, Bob Daily.

Row 2—Lake Moore, Don Robinson, Henry Cooper, Rodney Williams, Fred Boss, Jim Savage, Jim Cunningham.

Row 3—Don Roberts, Harold Scoggins, Dean Nixon, Jim Griffith.



Row 1—Dr. Dougherty, Jim Hicks, Gene Raines, Larry Shepherd, Bill Moorner.

Row 2—Merrill Johnson, Martin Jeness, John Head, Everette Clement, Bob Cheek, Bob Bass.



Debate members—Frederic Dorwart, Genell Overmyer, Joe Schubert and Diana Bankston.



Row 1—Patsy Ayers, Patricia Clarke, Joe Schubert, Genell Overmeyer, Ray Tackett, Joanne Ward.

Row 2—Sammie Bennett, Gail Brady, Georgia Black, Rosaalie Wanasek, Laura Reed, Susan Bower, Betty Wilson, Peggy Grossman, Margaret Douglas.

Row 3—Mary Smith, Diana Bankston, Maxine Hamilton, Sheila Duncan, Sandra Sorrells, Pixley McDonald, Alyce Hutcheson, Judith Self, Ruth Quinton.

Row 4—Bob Petty, David Whitlock, Frank Oglesbee, Larry Peterson, Phillip Stephens, Jerry Juergens, Teddy Boyd, Frank Gregory.

Well-known among Central organizations, are the three under direction of Mr. J. W. Patterson. These clubs, Debate, Speech, and Radio Speech, are some of the most active organizations in Central.

The debate squad had one of its most successful seasons this year, winning nine trophies and numerous individual awards. Debaters Fred Dorwart, Genell Overmyer, Diana Bankston, and Joe Schubert won trophies at Winfield, Kansas; Pittsburg, Kansas; Kansas City, Missouri; Houston, Texas; Baylor University; Southern Methodist University; Sand Springs and Tahlequah, Oklahoma. Sweepstakes honors were won by the entire squad at Denton, Texas, Kansas City, Mo., Pittsburg, Kansas, and Sand Springs. Other

members of the squad who contributed greatly to the winning of sweepstakes honors throughout the year were Patsy Ayers, Jeannie Reed, Wana Archer, Frank Gregory, Frank Oglesbee, Ted Boyd, Susan Bower, Sheila Duncan, Peggy Grossman, Jerry Juergens, Joanne Ward, Carl Krepper, Bob May, Pixley McDonald, and Margaret Douglas. At Conference in January, the squad captured sweepstakes honors, winning first place in exempt speaking, radio speaking, and humorous reading, and nine seconds and thirds. All members of the squad are members of the National Forensic League. Joe Schubert and Genell Overmyer are among the leaders in the nation in the league.

The Speech Club is composed of members of the National Forensic League, National Thespian Society, Make-up Club, Stagecraft Club, and Radio Club. This year's officers were: Joe Schubert, president; Genell Overmyer, vice-president; Peggy Grossman, secretary; Pat Clarke, treasurer, and Joanne Ward, assistant-to-president. The club sponsored the all-school play, "Guest in the House" in October; the annual "Speech Club" reception for student officers in September; the annual "Little Hollywood" banquet in May, and the Dramatic Arts recital in April.

Completing this threesome is the Radio-Speech club. It is one of the most active groups in Central. Four times weekly the class produced

the radio show, "Roughers Talk," a fifteen minute broadcast presented at 4:45 on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. In addition, the class presented five-minute world news summaries on KMUS twice weekly. During the Christmas season, the group presented the annual Christmas play, "The World's Greatest True Story," on station KBIX, and in May presented the annual spring radio play, "The Best Years of Our Lives" on station KMUS. Members of the class included Fred Dorwart, Patsy Ayers, Ray Tackett, Pixley McDonald, Johanna Foshee, Ted Boyd, Sandra Sorrells, David Whitlock, John Layne, Wana Archer, and Don Smith.

Radio Speech members—Seated—Ted Boyd.
Standing—Pixley McDonald, Frederic Dorwart,
Patsy Ayers, Sondra Sorrells, Johanna Foshee.



Members of Radio Speech admire their trophies.





Row 1—Mr. Huckstep, Roger Long, John Padgett, Kenneth Rowland, Basil Collins.
Row 2—Howard Perry, Hugh Bright, Mike Moore, Larry Peterson, David Carlton.

Mr. J. T. Huckstep in 1944 organized Stagecraft for the purpose of appropriately setting the stage for assemblies. Since that time the Club has enlarged its services, so that now the members construct new sets for the stage, and repair old sets for all school plays. They operate the lights and the sound system for all programs.

Girls—Delores Dodson, Anita Croman, Joyce Wood, Mr. Huckstep, Minnie Dye.



Their key word "Synchronization", and their motto "The Last Notice" add distinction to this club.

This year the members, in addition to the duties already mentioned, operated the scoreboard at all games; installed and operated amplifiers on top of the building for sending out the Christmas carols, and set the stage and tended the curtain for all programs held in the auditorium.

The officers for this year were: Larry Peterson, president; Howard Perry, vice-president; Mike Moore, secretary; David Carlton, treasurer; Kenneth Rowland, sergeant-at-arms, and Basil Collins, reporter. The Club met once a month in the evening at Central High School in room 314.

Stagecraft has rendered a great service to Central, although the members themselves were seldom seen by the audience.

Mr. Huckstep is still their most able sponsor.

Half of the success of a play depends upon how well make up is applied to the characters in the production. To insure this success Miss Buena Vista White several years ago organized the Central High School Make Up Club.

The membership was limited to twenty students, who may be seniors, juniors or sophomores. Eligibility depended upon the student—his attendance at regular meetings, his care and use of materials, his promptness at duty and his interest in the work. Service points were given for their work. Each member when on duty must wear the uniform—white coveralls with "C.H.S. Make Up Club" on the back.

The Club met at 7:45 every other Tuesday. Here they learned about cosmetics and how to use them, and practice lessons were given. Each member when assigned a given character in a play had to study and visualize that character, so that the makeup would be fitting.



A scene from the sophomore play, for which Miss White's Makeup Club made up all the characters.

The following officers were elected to serve for 1953: Johanna Foshee, president; Ann Ebersole, vice-president; Barbara Havens, secretary-treasurer; and Bessie Waters, social chairman. Miss Buena Vista White was sponsor.

Seated on Floor: Reitha Davenport, Barbara Ruff.

Seated in Chairs: Jane Binford, Johanna Foshee, Bessie Waters, Ann Ebersole, Barbara Havens.

Standing: Miss White, Sue Chilcoat, Merle Frudenberg, Maxine Hamilton, Marilyn Pearson.





Cast of the All School Play: Seated, Ted Boyd, Judy Roberts (guest artist), Joanne Ward, Bob Petty.

Standing, Jeannie Reed, Juana Archer, Betty Wilson, Patsy Ayers, Ray Tackett, Genell Overmyer, Frederic Dorwart, Pixley McDonald, and Sammie Bennett.

The All School Play, "Guest in the House"

Patsy Ayers, Fred Dorwart, and Judy Roberts in a scene from the play.





Cast members of the Junior Play, seated: Mary Smith.

Row 1: Alyce Hutcheson, Linda Kleppinger, Marty Duca, Lake Moore, Bertina Satterfield, Jeannie Reed, Juana Archer, Pixley McDonald.

Row 2: Sue Nelson, Harold Scoggins, John Layne, Gerald McManus, Horace Gray, Amanda Pritchett.

The Junior Play, "What A Life"

Scene from the Junior Play: Harold Scoggins, Bertina Satterfield, Gerald McManus, Pixley McDonald, Lake Moore, Linda Kleppinger.





Seated: Dee Ann Gibson, Winnie Guess, Mary Minor, Gene Boyd, Betty Polk, Shirley Lubis.

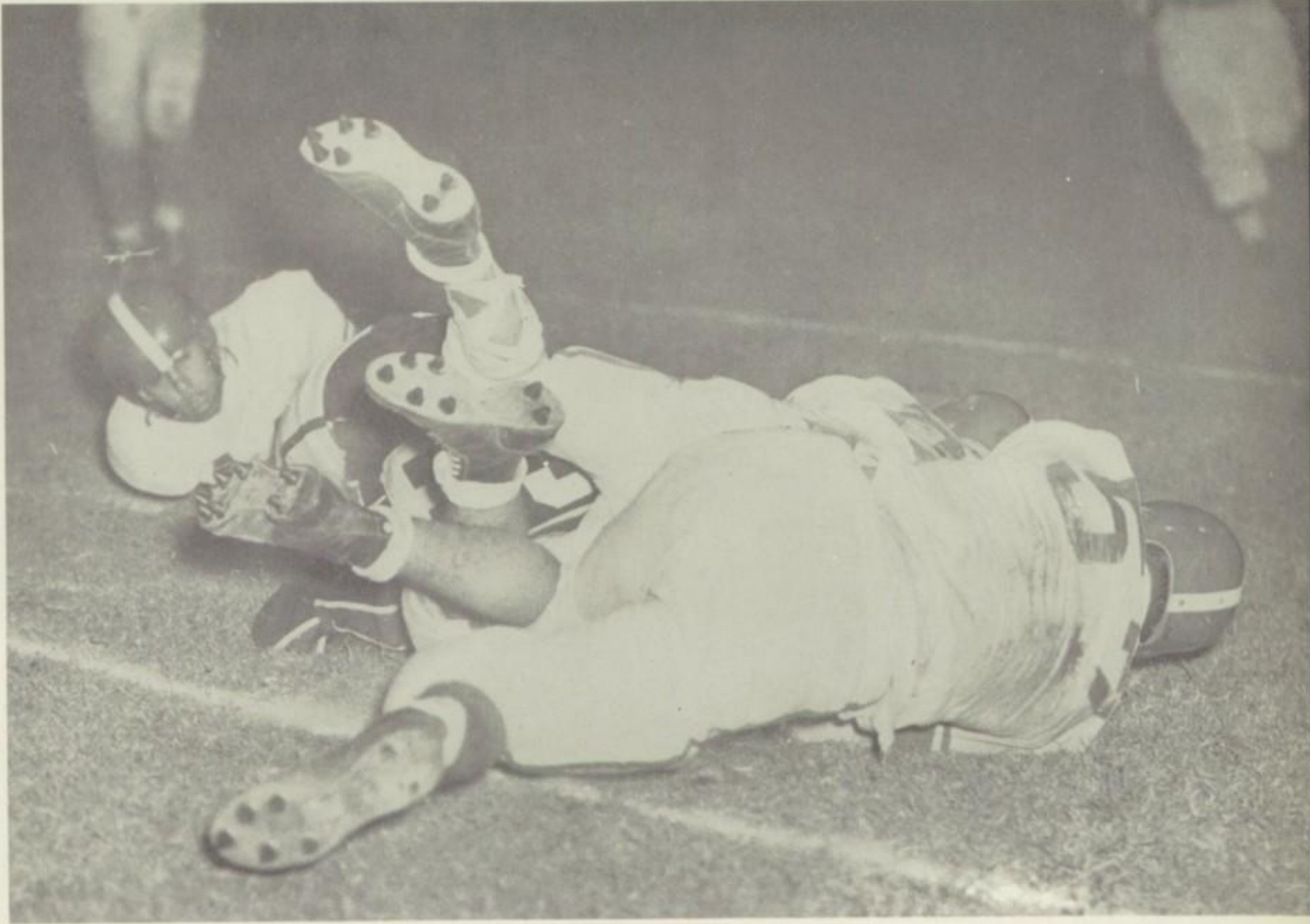
Standing: Janell Godfrey, Kay Bedgood, Raymond Ford, Judy Martin, Robert Norton, Sandra Sorrells, Phillip Stevens, Shirley McClain, Wayne Pamplin, Myrna Hutchison.

Seated: Delores Hardin, Roger Long, Janet Waters, Kay Kizzire, Fred Meeks, Carol Tyree, Kay McLarty.

Standing: Shirley Helms, Delores Thompson, Betty Brown, Darrel Huddleston, Gail Nixon, Sam Chandler, Barbara Breece, Hugh Bright, Marilyn Tillery.



ATHLETICS





MUSKOGEE ROUGHERS

Season

Roughers..... 14	Northeastern Jr. College 7
Roughers..... 35	McAlester 6
Roughers..... 14	Tulsa Webster 0
Roughers..... 0	Bartlesville 13
Roughers..... 21	Okmulgee 0
Roughers..... 21	Tulsa Rogers 27
Roughers..... 7	Tulsa Central 7
Roughers..... 7	Sapulpa 0
Roughers..... 20	Oklahoma City 7

Roster

Bo Lewis	Lloyd Keaton
Charles Blue	Joseph Rector
Bob Wanasek	Eddie Bryne
Jerry Likes	John Crater
Max Cook	Bill Sturm
Tom Brooks	Keith Mitchell
Jack McElreath	James Barrett
Bob Montgomery	Jerry Blevins
Dick Lane	Grover Sheppard
Lyle Burris	James Wood
Chas. Bowman	Gerry Dixon
Olen Treadway	Bob Hamlin
Jack McCann	David Cundiff
Sam Woods	Alex Porter
Richard Roberts	Leslie Hunnicutt
Lynn Burriss	Bill Pritchett
Dean Nixon	

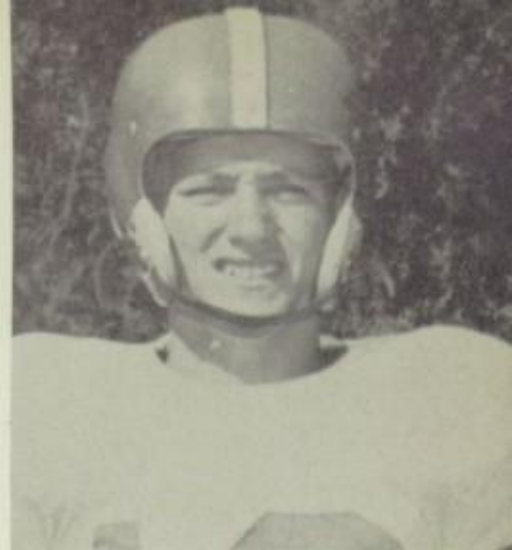


The 1951 Rougher Lettermen, Left to Right: James Barrett, Keith Mitchell, Leslie Hunnicutt, Bill Sturm, Gerry Dixon, James Wood

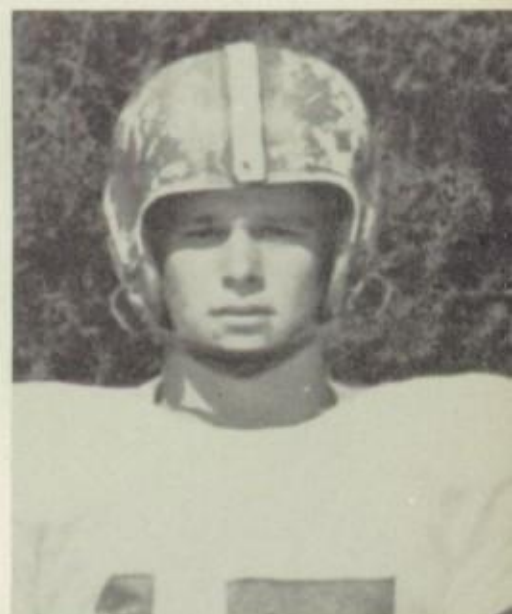
The 1952-53 Roughers under the leadership of Coach Paul Young, opened their season—surprising everyone with two home game victories. This however was to be an ill-fated season for the Roughers because of injuries and the loss of outstanding players due to their graduation. But hurdling these barriers, the Roughers amazed everyone with their stalwart defense and excellent passing game. At the end of the season, honors went to Senior gridsters, Gerry Dixon, end, and Bob Hamlin, tackle, who were named on the All-Conference Team. Gerry was also awarded for his outstanding playing by being chosen on the Daily Oklahoma's All-State Football Team. Gerry will play on the North Squad when they meet the South Squad in August.

This year's team has proved more than any other, that spirit, the desire to win, coupled with power and the ability to win, is everything. With our fine coaching staff to build the power, and the students to instill the spirit, the Roughers will continue to be outstanding for years to come.

In the first game of the season with the Northeastern Junior College Varsity, the Roughers overcame them with a 14-7 victory. Bill Sturm, junior quarterback, completed 13 to 16 passes, two to senior ends, Gerry Dixon for touchdowns. Sturm converted for both extra points. The only



Bo Lewis



Charles Blue



Bob Wanasek

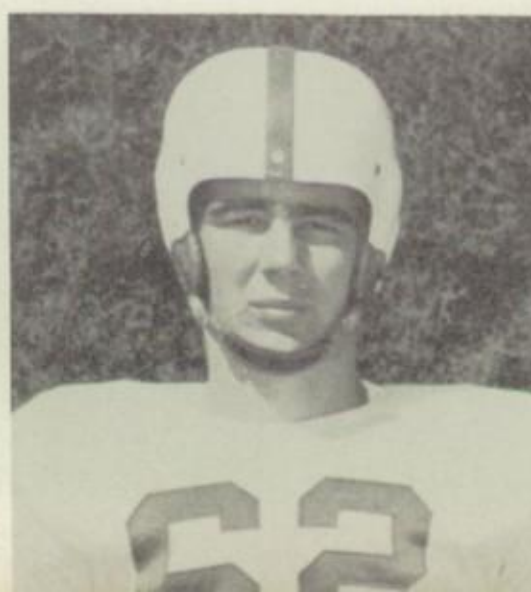
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Gerry Dixon



Bob Hamlin

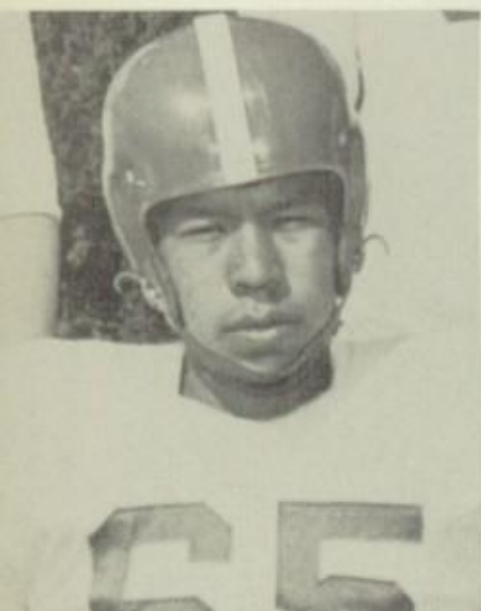


Tom Brooks





David Cundiff



Alex Porter



Bill Pritchett

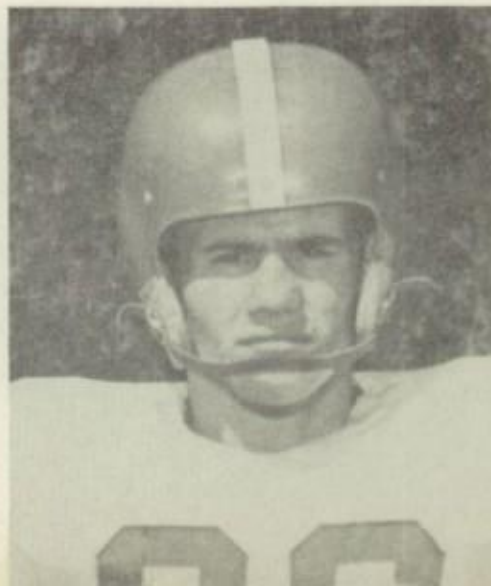
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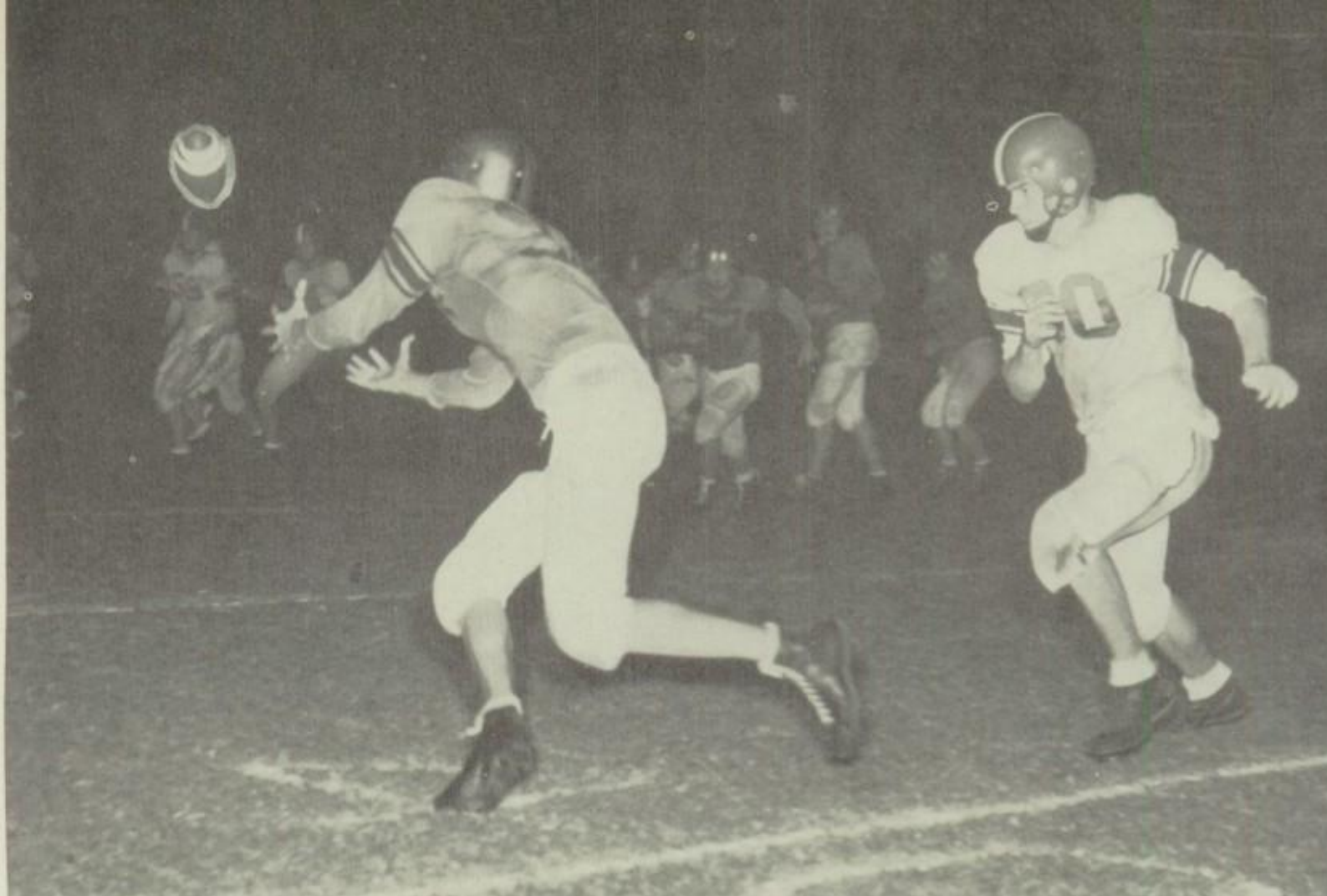
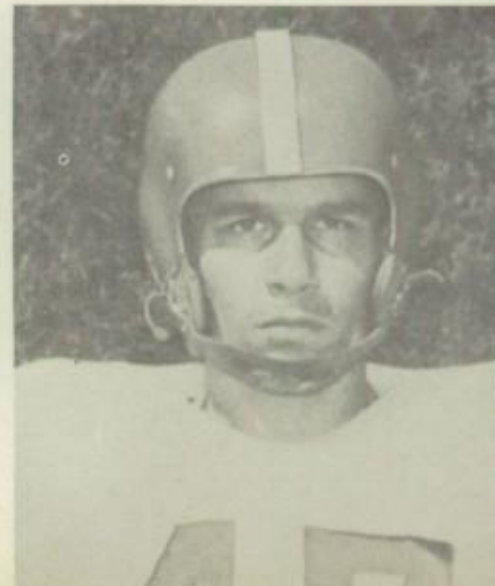
Lynn Burris



Leslie Hunnicutt



Sam Woods

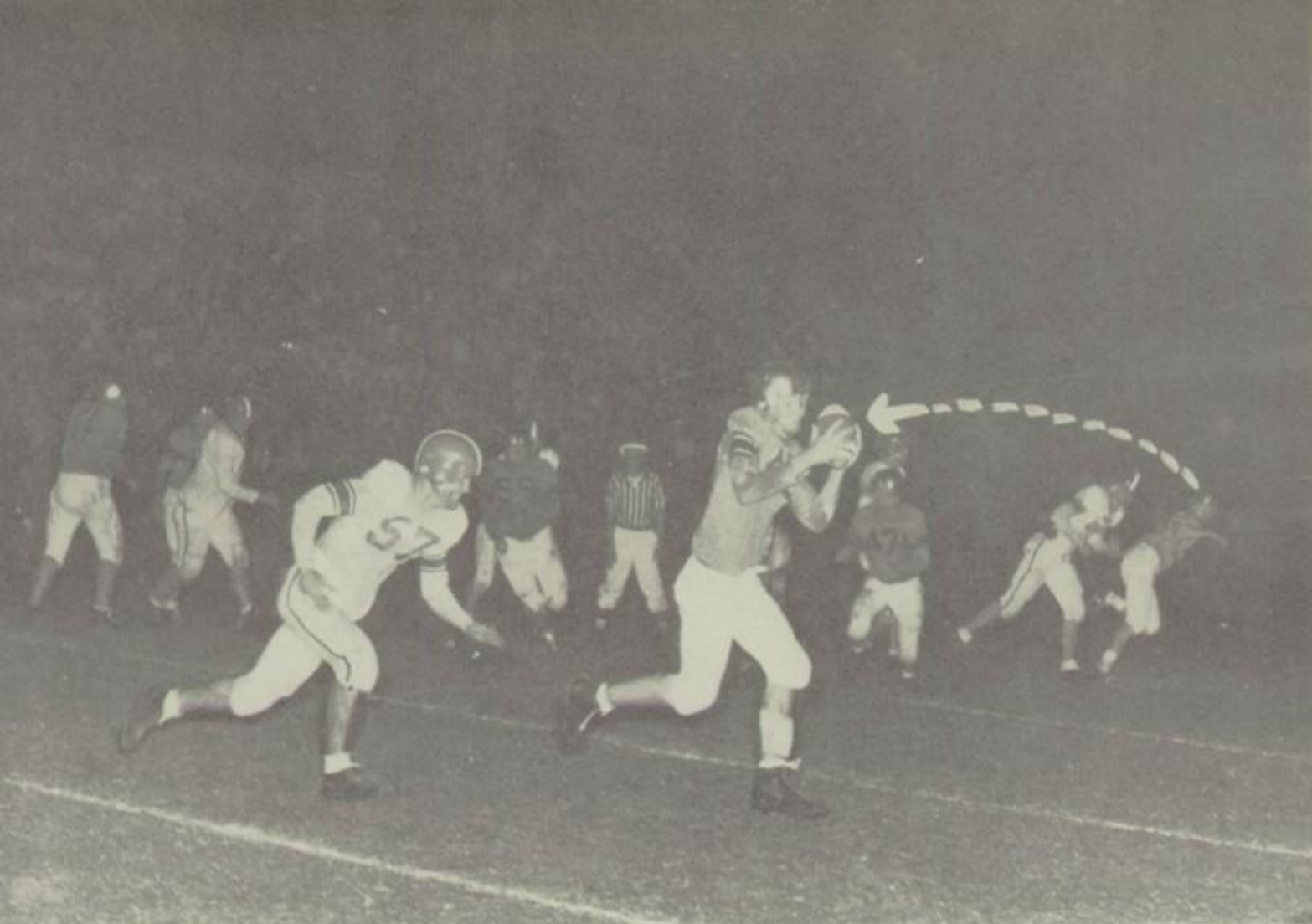


Rougher James Wood closes to make a tackle in the McAlester game

score against the tough defense of the Roughers was a 50 yard touch-down run.

Against the McAlester Buffaloes, quarterback, Bill Sturm, returned the opening kick-off 90 yards for a touchdown. He received superior blocking on this run. They continued, scoring two more touchdowns in the first period. The second touchdown of this encounter was made by Leslie Hunnicutt, senior fullback, who outran the Buffalo's secondary thirty-eight yards for a touchdown, the third touchdown by Bill Sturm who scooted around end for twenty yards, after a fake pass. In the final half, a pass from Sturm to Jack McElreath, junior halfback, netted another touchdown. An interception by James Woods, linebacker, brought home the final tally, and the end of the game. The Buffaloes were thrown for repeated losses by the hard charging Rougher line.

The Roughers took the third straight win from the Tulsa Webster Warriors by the score 14-0. The opening of the Oklahoma-Six Conference race was marred by Rougher fumbles. They repeatedly fumbled away long down-field drives, however, the tough Rougher line kept them in the ball game until the offence could get rolling. In the second half, quarterback Sturm hit senior end, Keith Mitchell, with a pass covering eight yards for a touchdown. The last score was by Bill Pritchett,



Rougher James Barrett moving to stop opposing end

junior fullback, on a pitchout from Sturm. The back displayed fine broken-field running in the seventy-six yard run. Sturm kicked both extra points. This was his ninth straight conversion without a miss.

In a defensive battle in which both lines played superior ball, the Bartlesville Wildcats clawed their way past the Roughers to a thirteen to nothing victory. In the remaining seven minutes the Roughers were trying to come back but the ground gaining plays were brought to an abrupt halt by the Wildcats' defense. But as the old saying goes, "You Can't Win Them All."

In an attempt to amend their defeat by the Wildcats the Roughers stomped the Okmulgee Bulldogs 21-0. The Roughers made scoring plays in each of the last three quarters. A ten yard pass from Olen Treadway to Bo Lewis counted the first score. The second half the Roughers with a thirty yard touchdown run by Lewis, and a pass by Treadway to Charles Bowman ended the scoring. In the extent of the game, Okmulgee was penalized fifty yards and the Roughers forty yards. (Several players had to be carried from the field.)

The Will Rogers Ropers, stymied at the opening of the game by quarterback Olen Treadway's pass to Gerry Dixon, senior end, (who



Charles Bowman



Joseph Rector

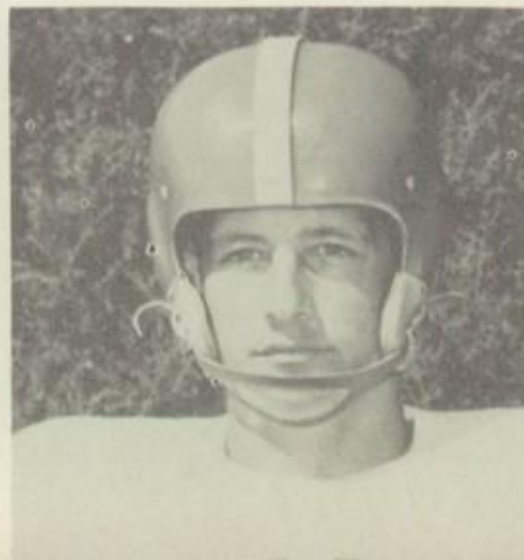


Eddie Bryne

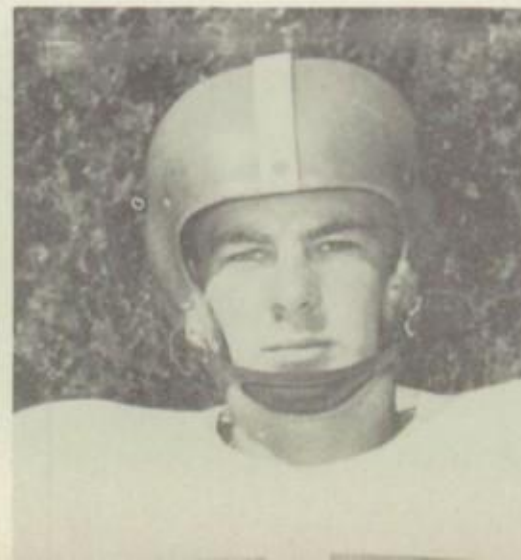
John Crater



Olen Treadway



Bill Sturm



James Barrett

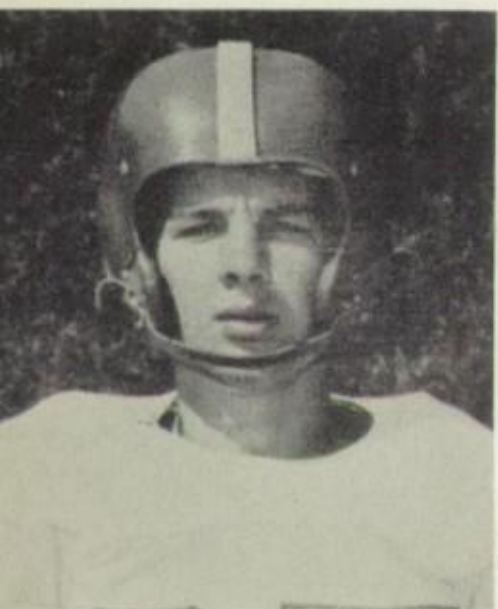




Jerry Likes



Max Cook



Jack McElreath

Bob Montgomery



Rougher Bob Sturm intercepts McAlester pass intended for Don Adams

then cut down the sidelines to score), came from behind in a hotly contested ballgame to down the Roughers 27-21. The Roughers started a sixty-nine yard drive in the final quarter but the attempt to score was halted by the Ropers, and at the final gun, the Roughers were still behind in the points column.

The Roughers traveled to Skelly Stadium for the next encounter which was with their old rival Tulsa Central. After the scoreless first quarter, the Braves on a seventy-two yard drive scored. The Roughers started moving when Bob Hamlin, senior tackle, threw Tulsa's halfback for a twenty-eight yard loss, but the half ended before any scoring attempts by Muskogee were made. In the third period, Treadway passed to Dixon, who then steamed down the sideline to score with Bo Lewis throwing the key block. Bill Sturm kicked the extra point making it seven to seven and that ended the scoring. The rest of the game the teams battled with neither team getting inside the twenty yard line.

In the last home game of the season, Muskogee gridsters met defeat by the hands of the Sapulpa Chieftains, by the score of seven to six. In the final quarter, Chieftain Don Bacon passed to Jim Fanner for twenty-three yards and a touchdown. Gene Martin kicked the extra point putting them out in front 7-0. The Rougher's touchdown was the

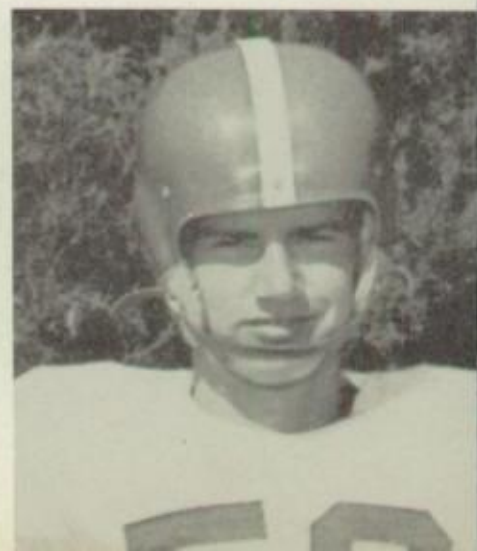
James Wood



Grover Sheppard



Jerry Blevins



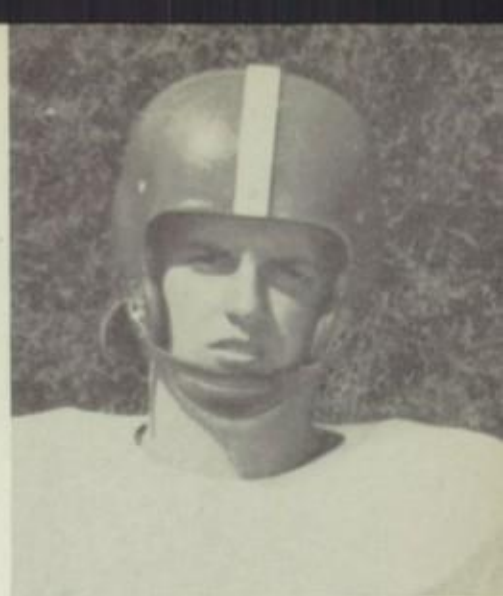


Rougher Jack McElreath held for no gain by Bartlesville linemen

climax of a 60-yard drive, which ended with Fullback Bill Sturm going over from the 4-yard line. Sturm tried for the conversion but failed. This was his first miss in 16 attempts. Muskogee was on top in the yards passing and rushing as far as statistics go. The tight Rougher line held the Chieftains to 61 yards rushing for the entire game.

In the final game the Muskogee Roughers walked over the Oklahoma City Capital Hill Redskins by a score of 20-7. This was the second loss the Roughers handed the Redskins in recent years, the former being when Muskogee defeated Oklahoma City for the State Championship. When reaching Capital Hill's 38-yard line, Quarterback Olen Treadway passed to Halfback Jack McElreath for the first score. Treadway converted. Next touchdown by the Roughers was with a run by Fullback Bill Pritchett. The last score for Muskogee was also owned by Bill Pritchett, who galloped 51-yards to score. The extra point was also made. The Redskin's only score came in the third quarter.

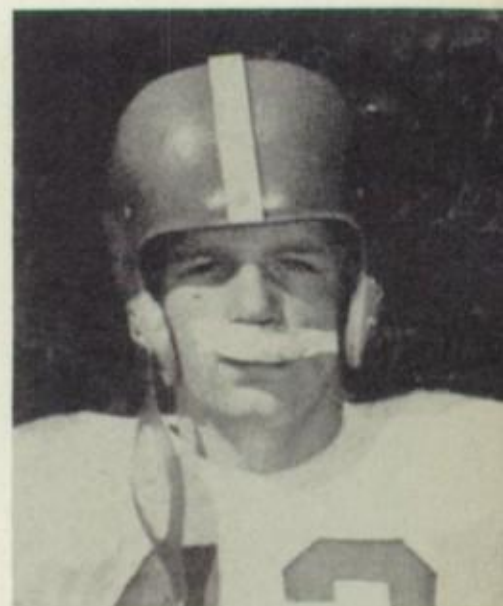
And with this outstanding win the Muskogee Roughers closed their football season on 1952-53.



Dick Lane



Dean Nixon



Lyle Burris

Lloyd Keaton



Richard Roberts

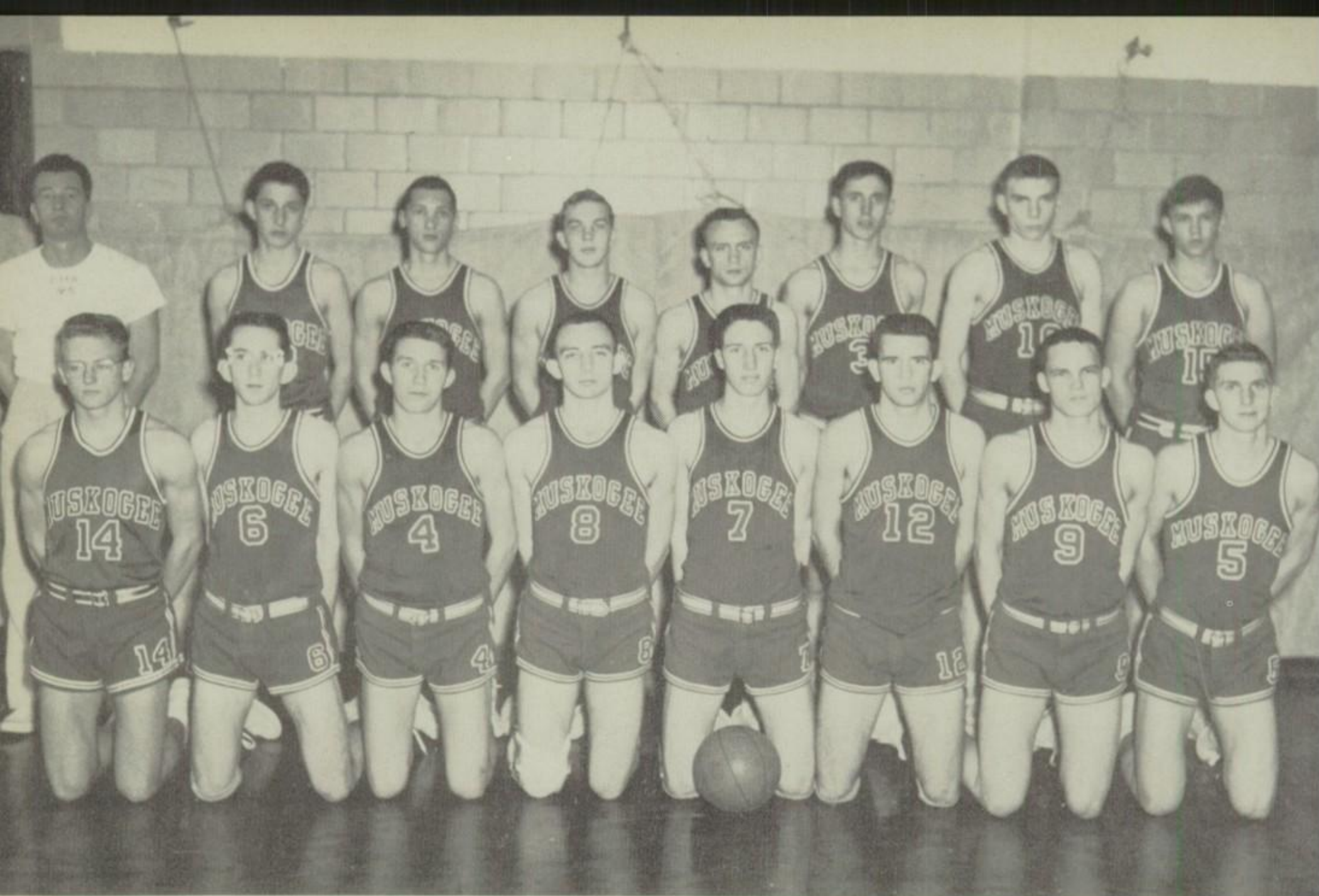


Barto McGeehon



Ronnie Perdue





Front Row, Left to Right; Bill McKinney, Bill Moorner, Plina Taylor, Chester Brooks, Joe Crank, Dean Nixon, Robert Hill, Merriman Knight.

Second Row—Left to Right; Coach Hopkins, Ralph Keith, James Tudor, Jack McElreath, George Ladd, Bill Dereberry, Tom Brooks, Bill Brewer.

Season Record

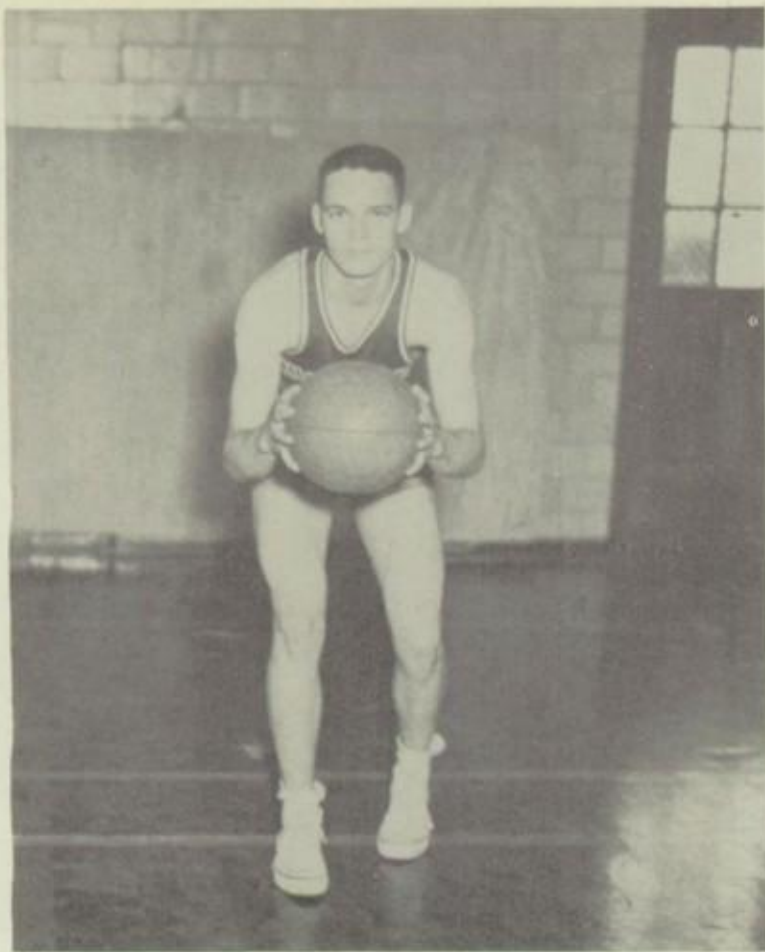
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Muskogee..... 52	Tulsa Webster.. 40
Muskogee..... 40	Okmulgee 37
Muskogee..... 47	Tulsa Central 80
Muskogee..... 50	Will Rogers 39
Muskogee..... 40	Bartlesville 68
Muskogee..... 42	Sapulpa 44
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Coach Hopkins

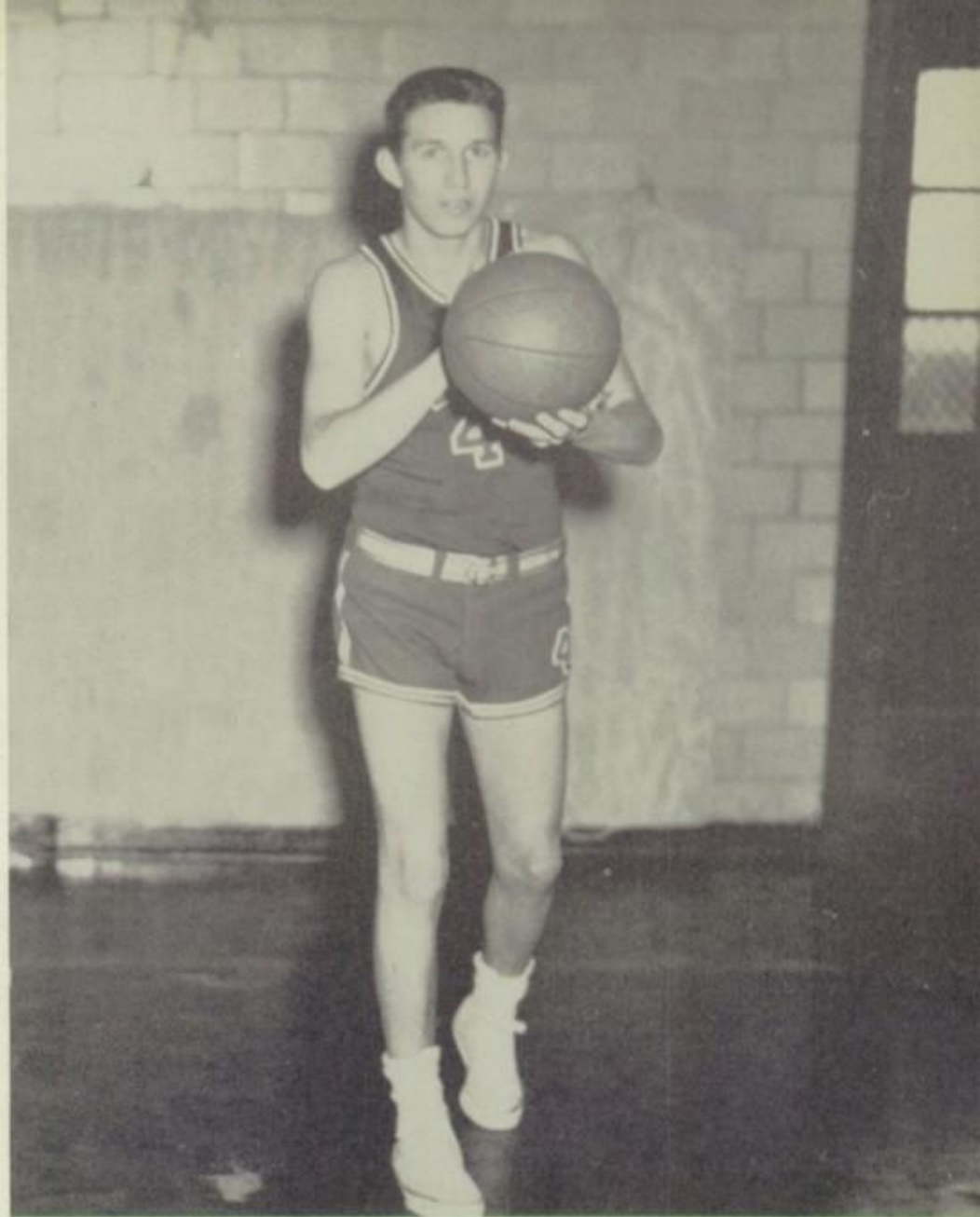


Joe Crank





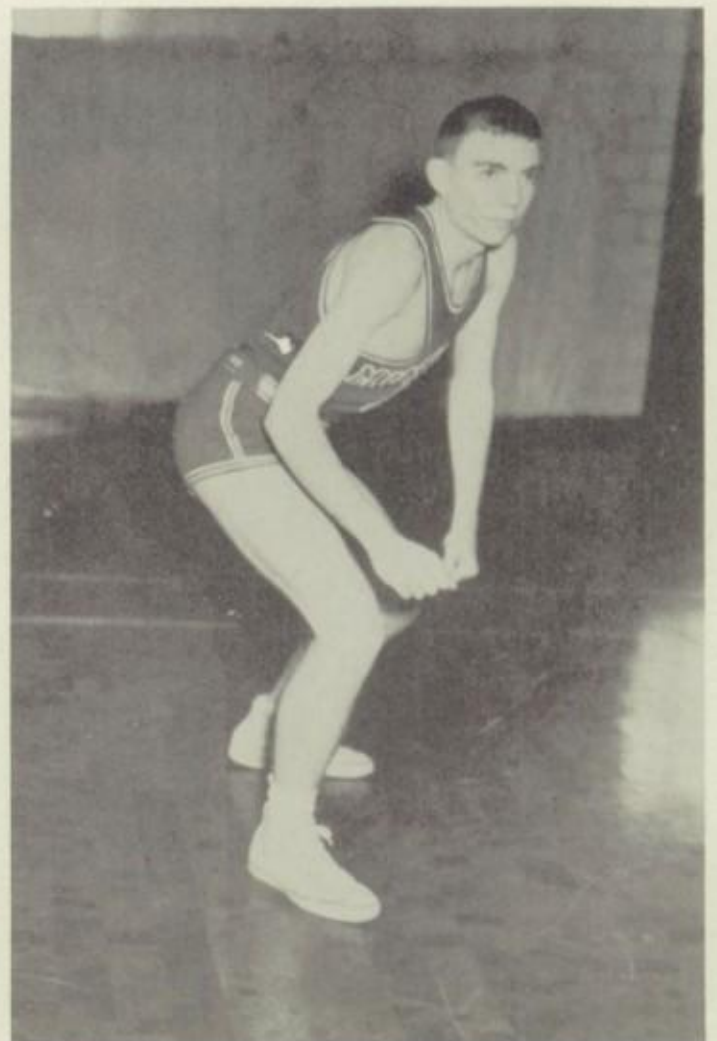
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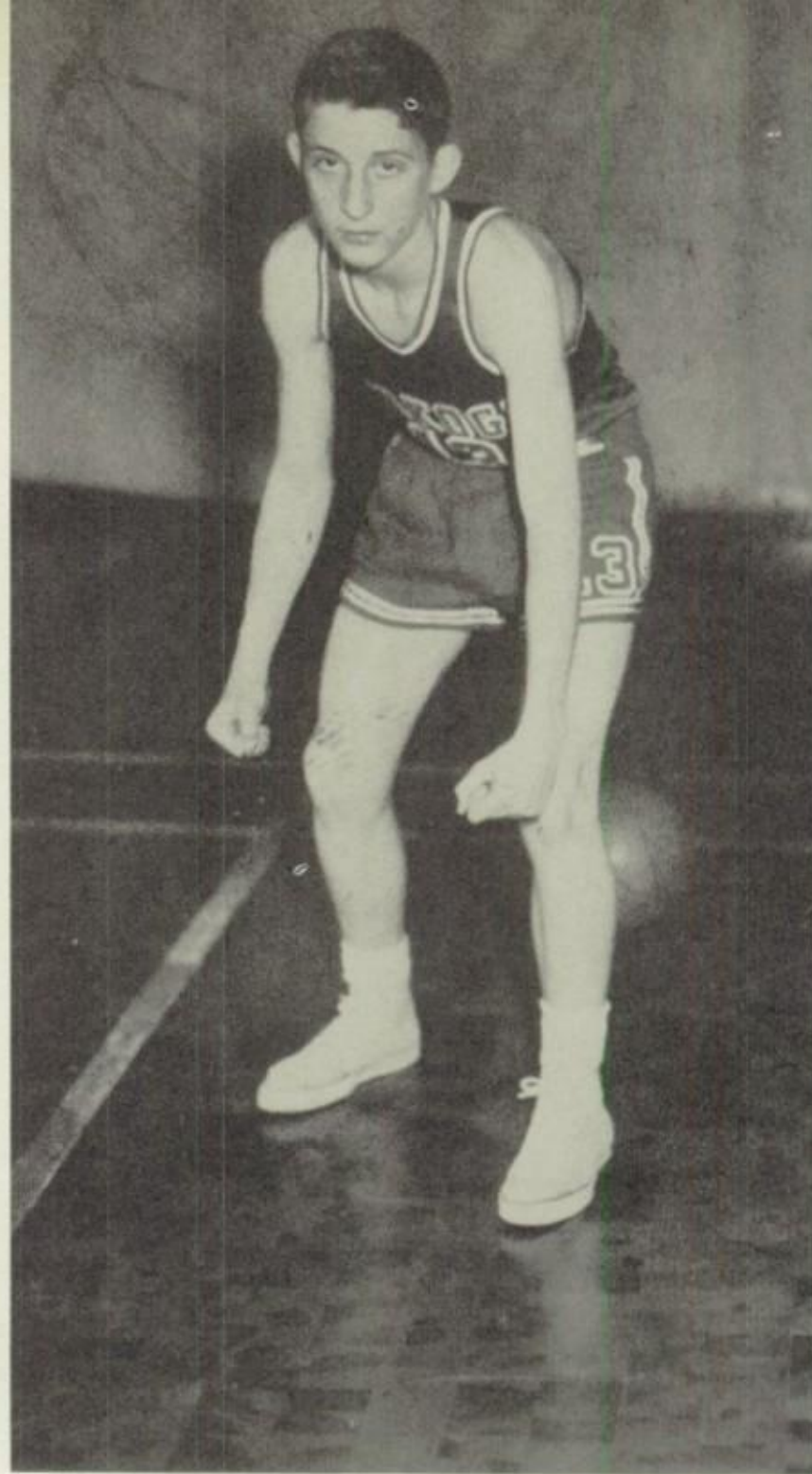


Tom Brooks



Chester Brooks

Bill Brewer



Ralph Keith



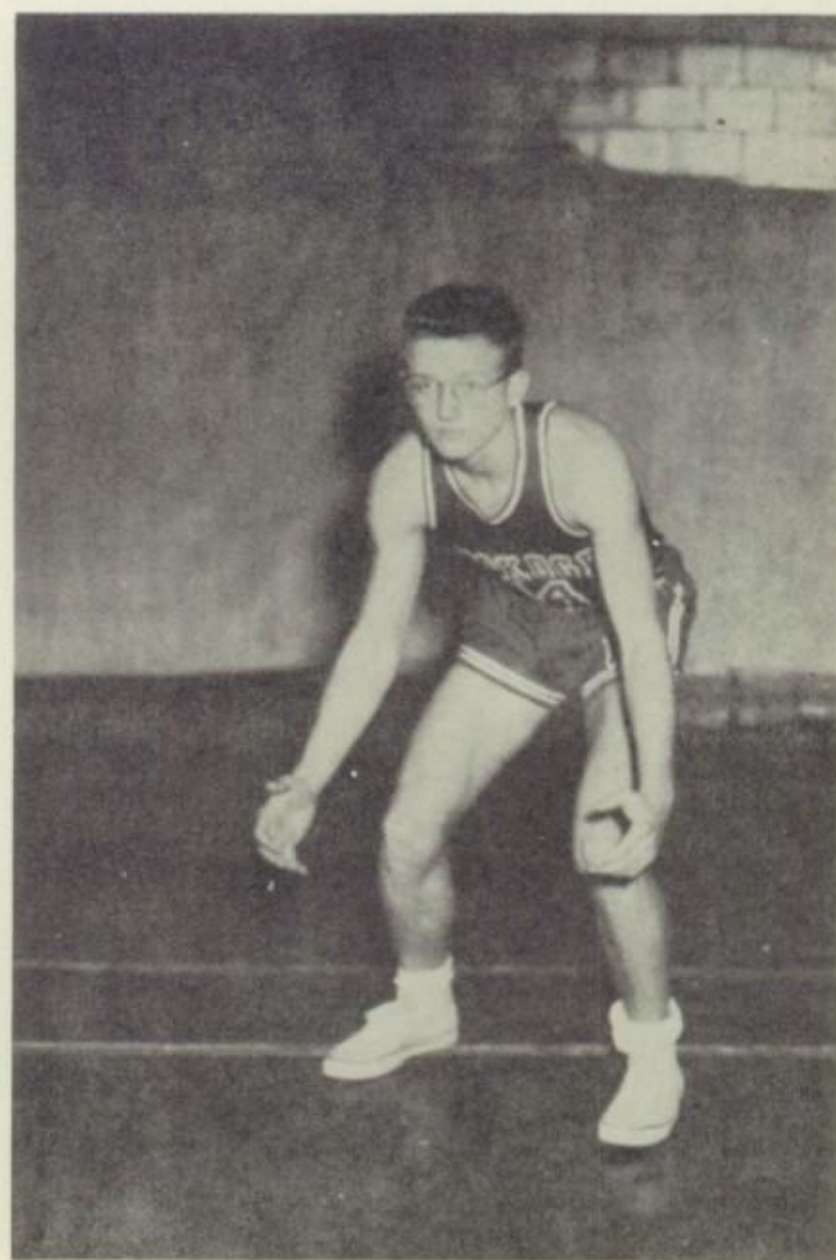
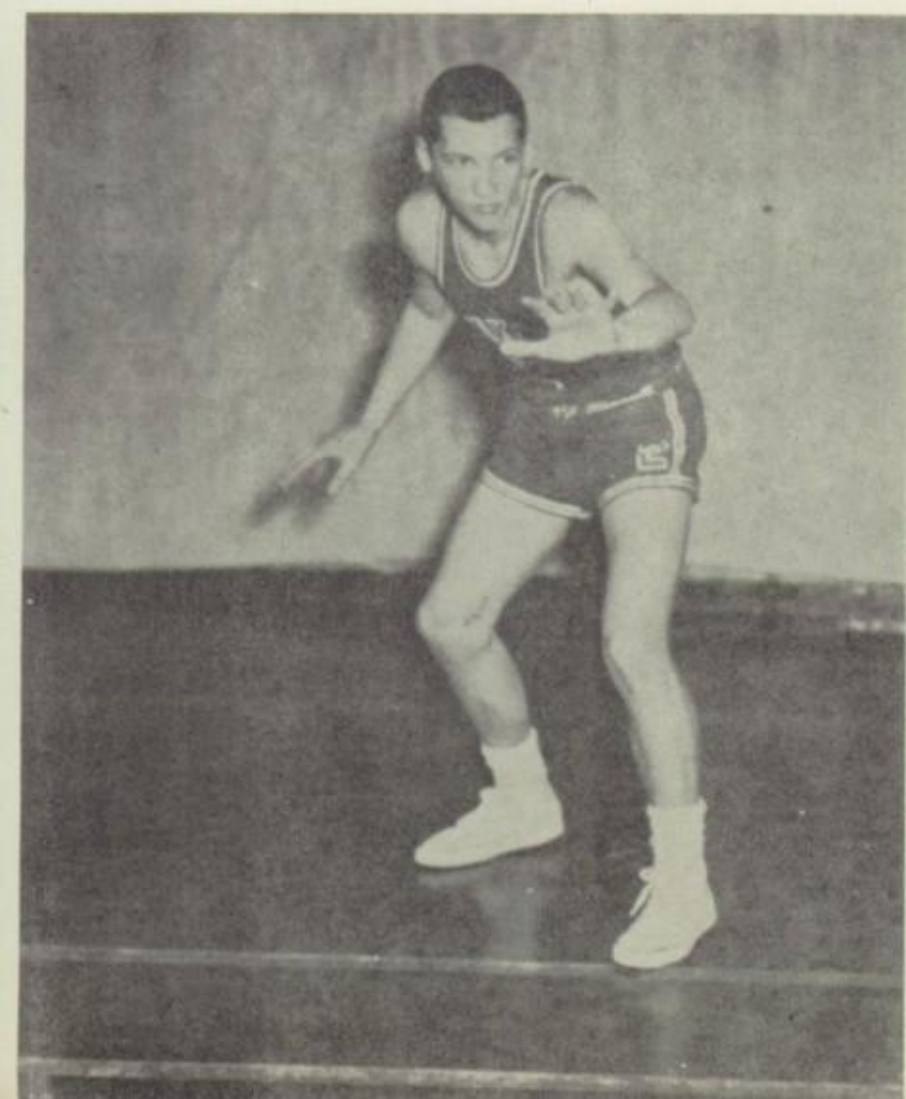


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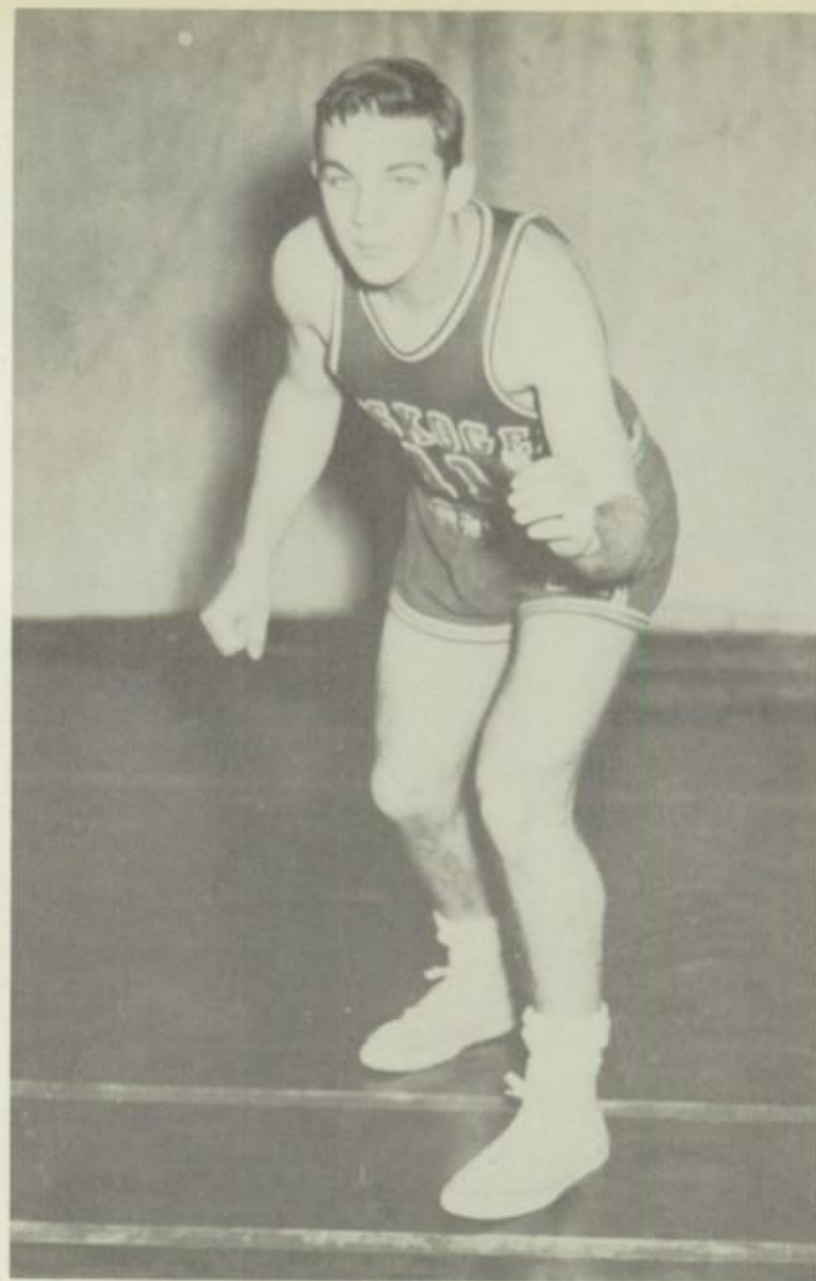
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James Tudor





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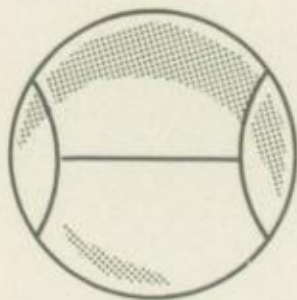


Bill Mooror





Front Row, Left to Right: Mike King, John Tarpley, Bob Salmon, Wayne Mullen, Dick Grimes, Joe Rector.
 Second Row, Left to Right: Coach Bill Roberts, Gilbert Bailey, Ernest Day, Curtis Lewis, Jack Harrison, Jerry Likes.

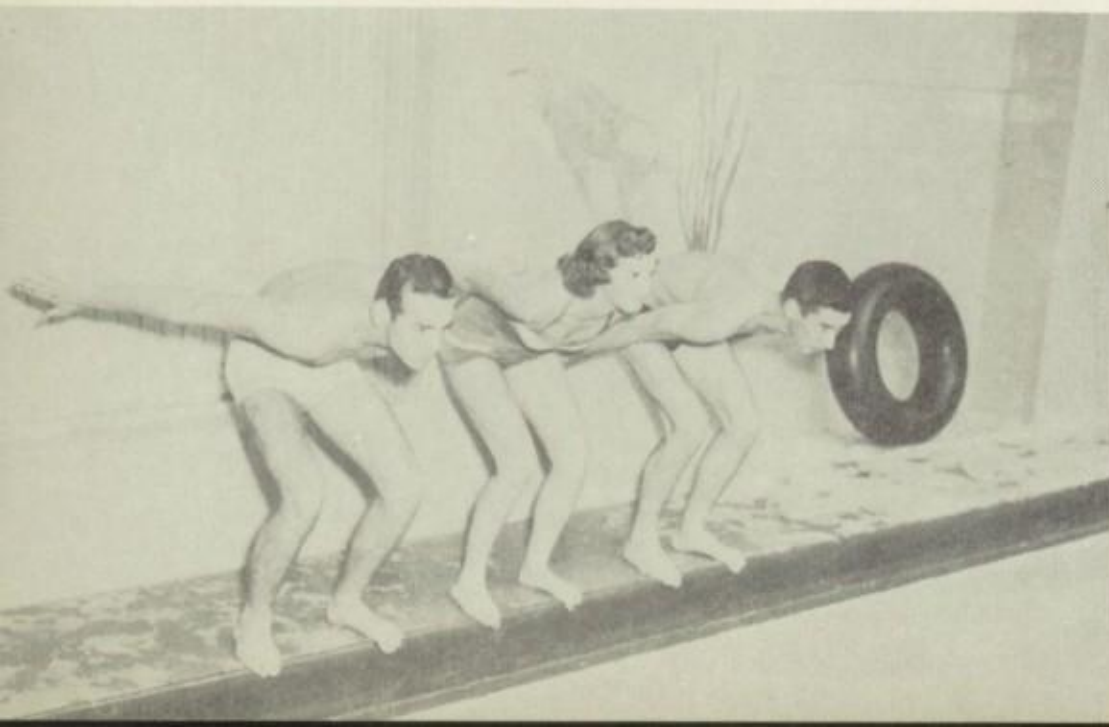




First Row—Left to Right—Jane Montgomery, Ludy Harman, Rhoda Hilfiger, Linda Kleppinger, Betsy Salyer, Jesse Montgomery.
 Second Row—Left to Right—Marlene Harman, Gene Foreman, John Sanders, Charles Dunlap, Bill Boykin, Bill Bently, Carolyn Farris.
 Back Row—Left to Right—Don Brunley, Glen Ballew, Fred DeBardeleben, Bobby Goad, Lloyd Hooper, Don McGrath, Marvin Osborn, Jim Crow, Martin Jenness.

Swimming

Left to Right—Jim Crow, Marlene Harman, Gene Foreman.



Muskogee.....	35	Bartlesville	40
Muskogee.....	46	Ponca City	23
Muskogee.....	56	O.M.A. (Claremore)	28
Muskogee.....	28	Bartlesville	52
Muskogee.....	38	O.M.A. (Claremore)	32

Other Events Entered

Open A.A.U. (Norman)
 Oklahoma Y.M.C.A. Meet
 Southwest A.A.U.
 National Y.M.C.A.
 Southwest Y.M.C.A. Championship
 Oklahoma State High School Meet



Front Row—Left to Right: Emelie Oliver, Blanche Marlow, Marjorie Rugh, Sue Nell Ramsey, Ruth McCormick, Ann Roberts, Pat Love.
Back Row—Left to Right; Carolyn Crater, Faye Hill, Betty McMahan, Eunice Wilson, Estella Beardsley, Syble Smart.

Season Record

Gremlins.....	30	Aceretts.....	27
Gremlins.....	21	Baptist Hospital.....	13
Gremlins.....	41	Braggs.....	20
Gremlins.....	37	Bacone.....	32
Gremlins.....	49	Wood's Supply.....	51
Gremlins.....	39	Acerettes.....	37
Gremlins.....	27	Braggs.....	18
Gremlins.....	40	Bacone.....	30
Gremlins.....	41	Wood's Supply.....	26

Another score for the Gremlins.





Front Row—Left to Right: Manager Jim Melson, Ted Jones, Powell Douglas, Harry Tatum, Grower Shepherd, Bill Sturm, Steve Crank.

Second Row—Left to Right: Manager Murl Spears, Bob Sturm, Pat Walker, Jerry Blevins, Durwood Kinsey, Merriman Knight, Bill Jordon.

Third Row—Coach Bill Roberts, Charles Weaver, Philip Vann, Jerry Likes, Preston Carpenter, Clark Harp, Leslie Hunnicutt.

Harry Tatum taking some batting practice. Preston Carpenter catching.



Muskogee.....	4	McAlester	3
Muskogee.....	6	Tulsa Rogers	0
Muskogee.....	6	McAlester	2
Muskogee.....	0	Tulsa Central	3
Muskogee.....	17	Tahlequah	2
Muskogee.....	14	Okmulgee	2
Muskogee.....	4	Tulsa Central	14
Muskogee.....	3	Tahlequah	12
Muskogee.....	12	Okmulgee	10
Muskogee.....	5	Tahlequah	8



The football cheerleaders, Joyce Culver, Carolyn Smith, Barbara Laughery, Barbara Craig, standing; Norma James, and Sherry Duncan, head cheerleader, seated.

The basketball cheerleaders do their favorite number, "Band Jive."



Row 1: Cheerleaders—Norma James, Joyce Culver, Carolyn Smith, Darla Canard, Barbara Craig, Sherry Duncan, Head Cheerleader.

Row 2: Carol Morrow, Mary Louise Madden, Rosemary Castlebery, Janice Smith, Pat Love, Quaye Purcell, June Ballew, Dona Stoddard, Barbara McElhaney, Peggy Grossman.

Row 3: Beth Davis, Nancy Weaver, Charlotte Dodson, Phyllis Ballew, Connie Cooper, Marlene Fuqua, Linda Kleppinger, Joan Fink, Sondra Mills, Pat McElhaney.

Row 4: Shirley Lyle, Alyce Hutcheson, Darl McEndarfer, Reita Stuart, Anita Croman, Marty Duca, Shirley Rew, Sue Ramsey, Sally Day, Martha Oman.

Row 5: Jo Hay, Sue Finlayson, Jeanne Williams, Ann Roberts, Mary Lester, Alice Wilson, Bertina Satterfield, Elizabeth Finley, Virginia Fischer.

Row 6: Jo Ann Lewis, Gaynelle Willis, Leslie Waid, Jean Horn, Amanda Pritchett, Barbara Smith.

Crack Squad

One of the high honors a girl may receive at Central is membership in the Crack Squad. This is the marching organization of the Pep Squad.

During the year, the Crack Squad did many of the half-time football shows with the band. To practice for these the girls were up at 7:30 every morning for a week before the show was to be put on. Many hours of hard work and concentration were necessary, to please Mr. Parker, who directed their efforts.

Behind their football and basketball teams one hundred per cent, the members of Crack Squad marched in many pep rallies to keep alive the "spirit of Central High." They were, of course, represented fully in all games, both in town and out of town. The pep and spirit came to be an identifying trademark of Central High, and they led their Roughers to victory many times.

As a reward for their efforts, they made a trip to Dallas, Texas in March, with no object in mind but to have a good time.

Officers of the Crack Squad this year were: Mary Louise Madden, Sergeant; Carol Morrow, Standard Bearer; Darla Canard, Chaplain; Alice Wilson, Sally Day, Shirley Rew, Martha Oman, Joan Fink, the flag team.

This year's cheer leaders who inspired the school and the teams, were Sherry Duncan, head cheer leader, Joyce Culver, Darla Canard, who took Barbara Laughery's place, Norma James, Barbara Craig and Carolyn Smith.



1. A curious group unpacks the Curtis prizes.
2. Barbara Craig, Sue Nell Ramsey, Darla Canard and Shirley Rew bake a cake.
3. The coach lectures the girls' swimming team.
4. Mr. Lander's study hall has a variety of pupils.
5. A boys' class in homemaking! Can you imagine it?





ROYALTY



Sondra Mills,
Band Queen



Gaynelle Willis, Maid-of-Honor



Jeanne Williams, Attendant

Donah Boswell, Attendant



Barbara Laughery, Attendant.





Katy Dennehy,
Football Queen



Joyce Culver, Maid-of-Honor



Quaye Purcell, Attendant

Pat Dyer, Attendant



Martha Oman, Attendant





Shirley Rew,
Basketball Queen



Joan Lewis, Maid-of-Honor



Norma James, Attendant

Carolyn Smith, Attendant



Beth Davis, Junior Attendant





Barbara McElhaney,
F.F.A. Sweetheart



Barbara Craig

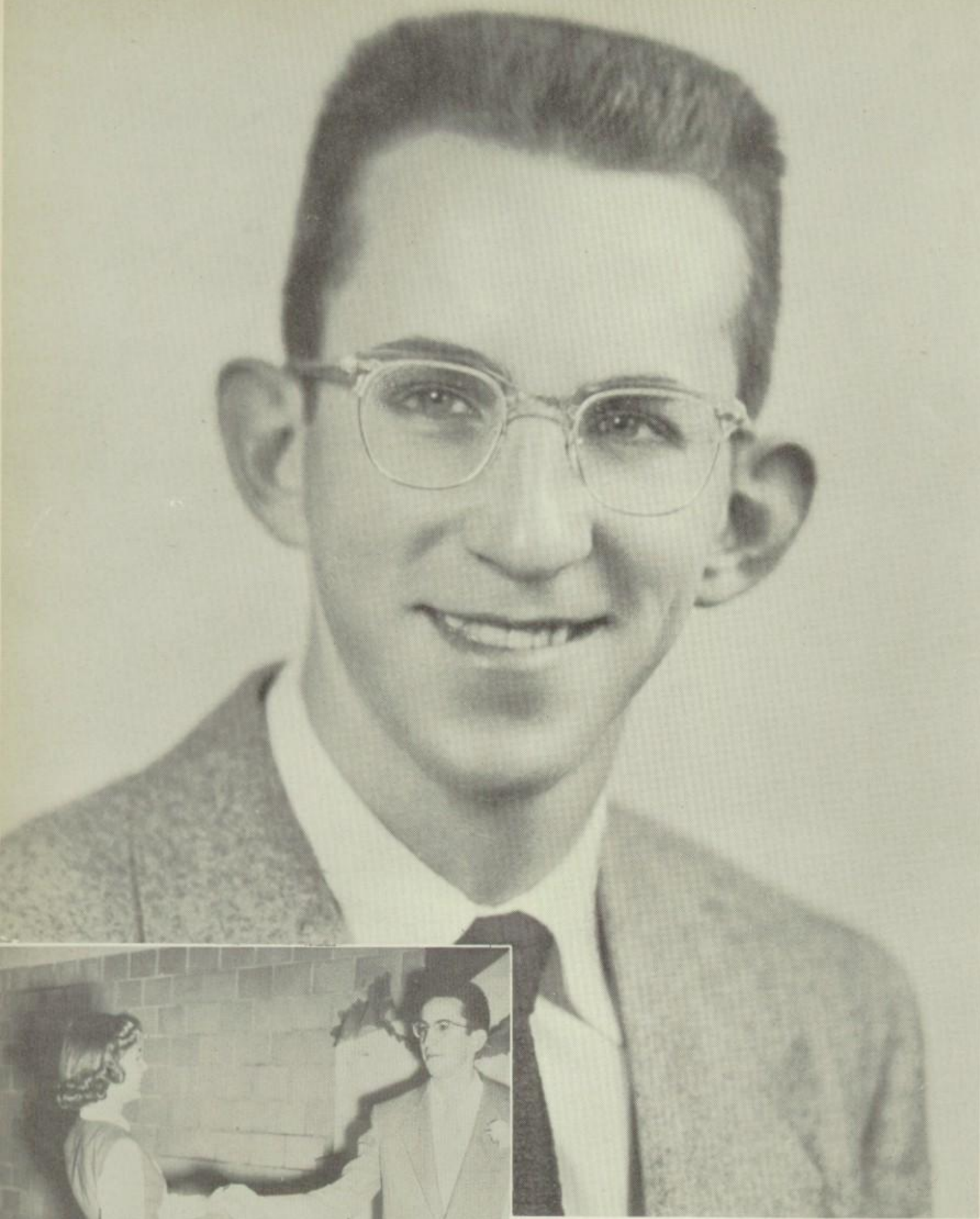
Joan Cloud, Attendant



Marietta Bainbridge

Donah Boswell Attendant

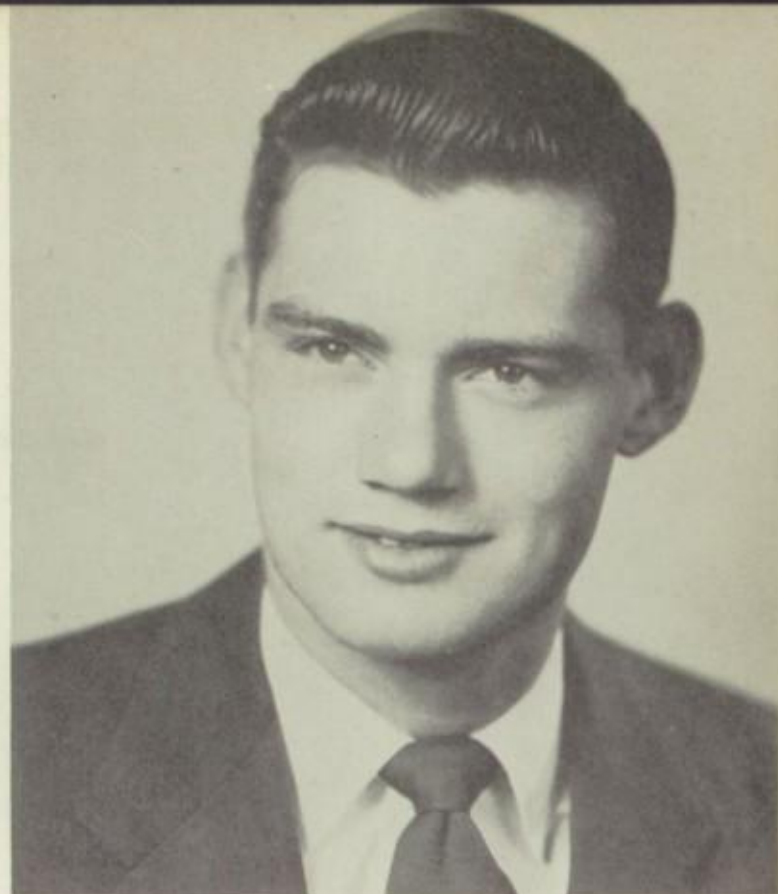




Bill Moorer,
Crack Squad Colonel

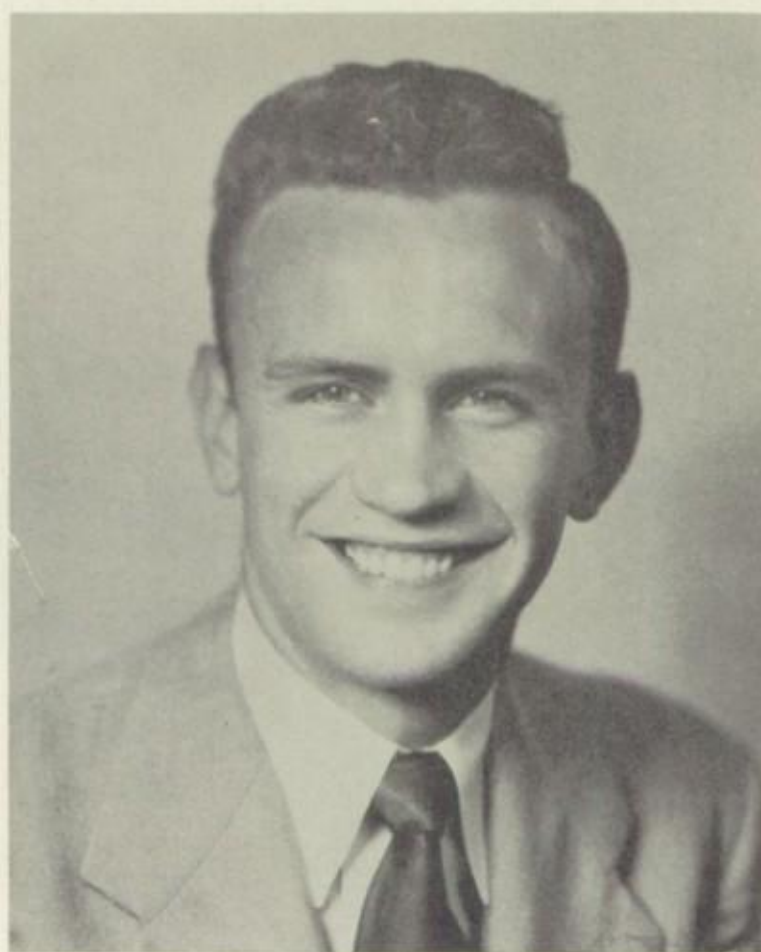


Chester Brooks
Second Lieutenant



Jerry Blevins
Third Lieutenant

Bob McGeehon
First Lieutenant
(Not Pictured)



George Ladd
Major



Bill Dereberry
Fourth Lieutenant



Plina Taylor
Private



Mr. and Miss Sophomo'



The Band Queen and her party, immediately following the coronation.

After the coronation of the Football Queen.

The girls escorted the boys during Crack Squad Colonel coronation.

The Basketball Queen poses with her party.

The coronation of the FFA Sweetheart.



There are no names in these captions since the people have already been named elsewhere.





1. Sondra receives her salute from Charley.
2. Katy pauses a moment upon the threshold of her coronation.
3. The beginning of a big moment for Shirley.
4. Barbara and Bill look happy.
5. Just before Bill's coronation as Crack Squad Colonel.





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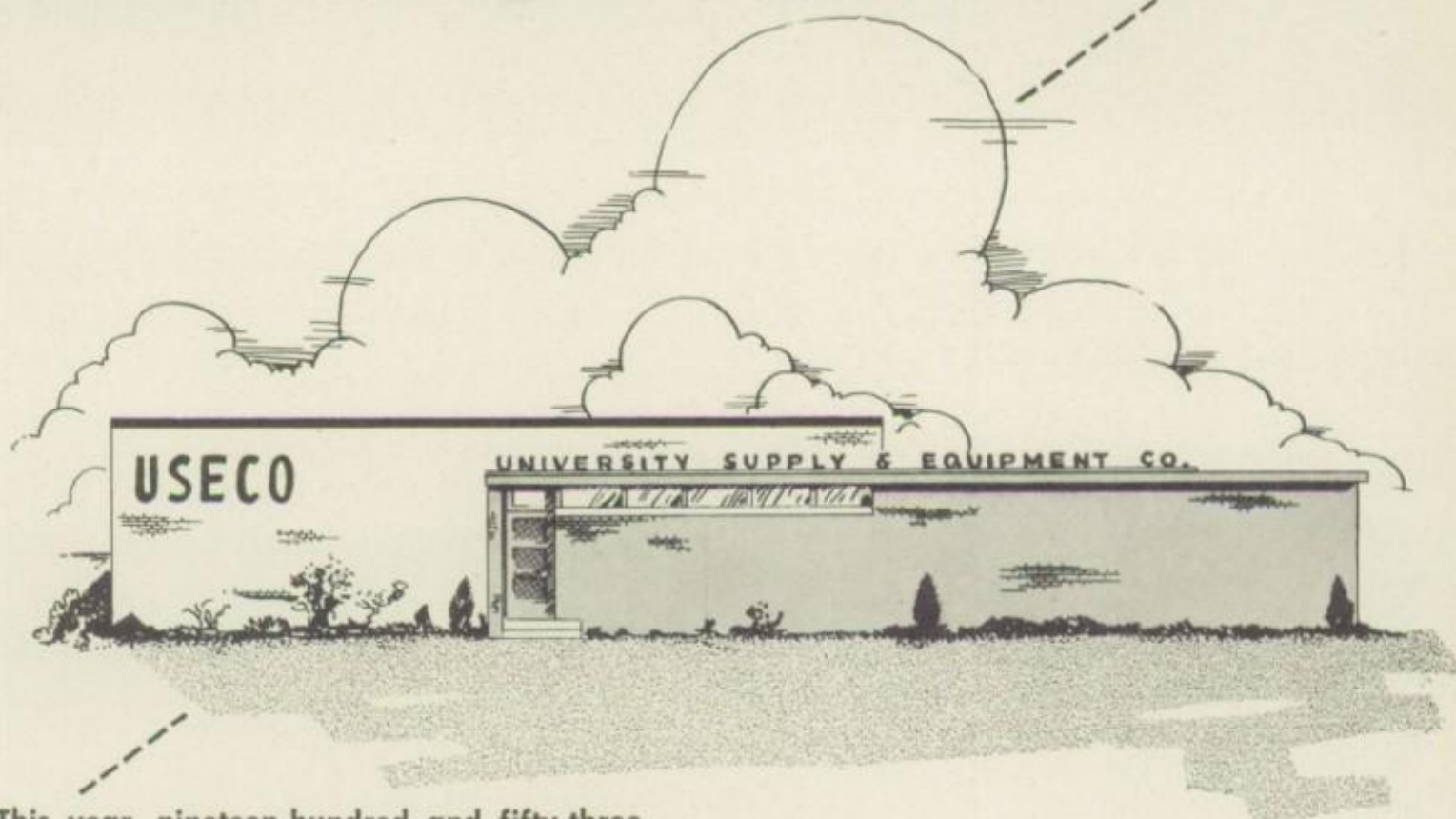
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